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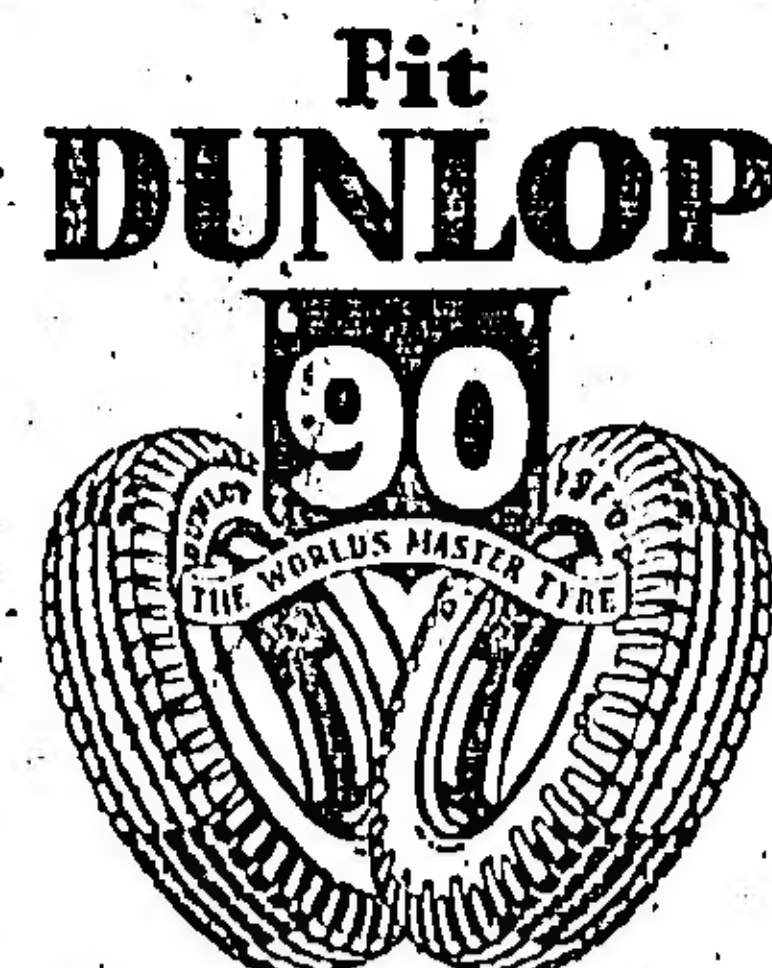
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## ANGLO-FRENCH WARNING SENT VON NEURATH GERMAN REPLY REASSURES BRITISH STATESMAN

London, June 24.

It is understood that Great Britain and France have warned Germany, through diplomatic channels, that they will take a grave view of any anti-Loyalist actions. It is authoritatively stated that Baron von Neurath, German Foreign Minister, replied that Germany intends to confine her present action to withdrawal from the neutrality control scheme.—United Press.

### SECRET AGREEMENT SUGGESTED

Rome, June 24.

It is understood that Italy will maintain a battle fleet in Spanish waters "to protect Italian shipping."

A secret Italo-German agreement is hinted at in some quarters, and it is believed Italy may possibly lend some of her warships to the Spanish insurgents, especially her old submarines. However, it is not believed the Italians themselves will take action unless they are attacked.—United Press.

### German Fleet Moving

Lisbon, June 24.

A powerful German fleet has left Lagos for the Mediterranean.—United Press.

### Britain Not Alarmed

London, June 24.

The British Government is carefully considering the situation arising from the Italo-German withdrawal from the naval control scheme, which has been operating in Spanish waters, but no decision will be taken without the approval of the Non-Intervention Committee.

It is pointed out that when the British Ambassador to Berlin visited Baron von Neurath yesterday he had been instructed to point out that any violent German action might produce a grave situation, but in an early stage of the conversation Baron von Neurath declared that it was Germany's intention to confine action to withdrawal from the control scheme.

### Discounts Reports

The reports of the landing of Italian troops at Malaga and an extensive movement of German warships to the East in the Mediterranean was discounted by Mr. Anthony Eden in the House of Commons. He said that British ships on patrol duties in the Malaga area had much to do to show such a development had occurred, neither were the rumours of German warship movements borne out by Admiralty reports.

While the situation arising from the withdrawal of Italy and Germany from the control scheme remains under close consideration in London, no grounds are felt for anxiety. Baron von Neurath's assurance that Germany did not contemplate any further action was considered satisfactory and no indications had been received that German warships in the Mediterranean will be used for any other purpose than the legitimate protection of German shipping. The explanation that the latest movements of German warships had been occasioned by the need to relieve ships which had been for a long time on patrol duties is received in British circles as not being unreasonable. The general position at present is described as a "lull".—Reuter.

### Hitler Leaves Berlin

Berlin, June 24.

Herr Adolf Hitler has left for his country estate at Berchtesgaden. He had previously returned to Berlin on account of the Leipzig incident and to meet his chief advisers in conference concerning the affair.—Reuter.

### Commons Explanation

The Foreign Secretary, Mr. Anthony Eden, told the House of Commons at question time he had no material developments to report on the Spanish situation, but in subsequent answers he made several points.

Asked about the movement of German warships he said: "I would like to suggest to the House reports on German movements eastwards in the Mediterranean should be received with great reserve. Official information which has been received by the Admiralty does not confirm them."

He also stated he had been in touch with the International Board for Non-Intervention and understood (Continued on Page 4.)

## ITALIAN PRISONER "GRILLED"



An Italian prisoner, left, captured by Spanish Loyalists, is questioned by General Jose Mija, right, chief of National Defence, in Madrid. Many Italians were taken by the Loyalists in their recent victory over the insurgents on the Guadalajara front. Signor Dino Alfieri, Italian Minister of Press and Propaganda, recently stated that no regular troops would be sent to Spain and that Italy would observe the non-intervention agreement.

## BISHOPS DISCUSS DIVORCE

Cannot Honestly Oppose Reforms But Hope For Amendments

London, June 24.

The Bishops of Britain mustered in force this afternoon at the House of Lords when the Marriage Bill came up for second reading. The Archbishop of Canterbury said he could not honestly vote against the second reading, though he could not vote in its favour because some of the principal proposals of the Bill were inconsistent with the Church's attitude towards divorce, and certainly remarriage after divorce.

No-one seriously suggested that the "law" of the state permitting divorce should be repealed. The existing law had given rise to notorious abuses, notably with respect to so-called "hotel bill cases," in affording proof of adultery. This grave sin was not a result of passion in such cases, but a miserable episode in mutual arrangement, amply assisted by solicitors for the parties.

He hoped, said the Archbishop, that the Bill would be amended in some respects in committee.—Reuter.

## PLAY NARROWS TO REAL STARS AT WIMBLEDON

### BUDGE CONTINUES TO WIN; THREE BRITONS LOSE

Six of the seven surviving "seeded" players in the men's singles tennis championship at Wimbledon won through to the last sixteen yesterday. The day's play contained no surprises, but there were some significant results.

Donald Budge, for example, continued his triumphant progress and has still to lose a set. He took three in a row yesterday to beat Christian Boussus, the French No. 1 player.

Britain lost some more of her best players, C. M. Jones, H. G. N. Lee, and E. R. Ivory being among the defeated. Best English achievement was that of Ronald Shayer who beat Nakano, the Japanese Davis Cupper.

Yamagishi, Japan's first flight representative was ousted by von Cramm, but only after four hard-fought sets. One of the best performances of the day came from A. C. Stedman, the New Zealand, who beat Marcel Bernard, prominent Frenchman, in straight sets.

### QUEEN MARY PRESENT

London, June 24. Gene Mako was one of the first to enter the fourth round of the Men's Singles to-day. He overcame China's only hope, Kho Sin-kie, after losing the first set.

Wimbledon weather continued to be kind, and Queen Mary attended to-day and saw the holders of the French women's doubles championship, Mme. Mathieu and Miss "Billie" Yorke beat Miss Alice Marble and Miss K. Winthrop, the American pair 6-2, 6-4 in a second round match.

Notable third round winners in the men's singles were A. C. Stedman, who beat Marcel Bernard with the loss of ten games in three sets; Jack Crawford of Australia, who defeated F. Fukuljevic of Yugoslavia in straight sets; and Vivian McGrath, "seeded" Australian representative, who beat J. Pallada of Yugoslavia after conceding the third set.

Play continued during the day without surprises. Baron von Cramm had a stern struggle with Jiro Yamagishi before winning in the fourth set, and Frankie Parker had to lose the third set to M. D. Delofof of Britain and also to play hard to win the fourth.

H. W. Austin, Britain's only hope in the singles, beat John Bromwich, the young Australian, after an interesting match which went to four sets. Rather less expected was the victory of Andre Lacroix of Belgium. (Continued on Page 4.)

## Washington Returning Coconut Tax

"Gift" Of Millions For P. I. Government

Washington, June 24.

The State Department has announced after months of indecision and delay that it is now arranging to transfer to the Philippine Government the net proceeds of processing taxes levied on Philippine coconut oil, up to July 1, 1937. The taxes amount to about U.S. \$50,000,000 and having been found to belong not to Washington but to Manila, must be returned.

The Treasury action has been taken at the request of the Philippine President, Senor Manuel Quezon. The money, he says, will be used to readjust the islands' economic position, and to purchase large estates for resale to tenant farmers. The money does not go back to the taxpayers themselves, but to the Government.—Reuter.

## MANY TOPICS DISCUSSED

### VAN ZEELAND SEEING CORDELL HULL AGAIN

Washington, June 24.

M. Paul Van Zeeland, Prime Minister of New Zealand, who is in the United States on a delicate economic mission, informed Reuter to-day that in two talks with Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, so many subjects had been discussed regarding consideration that he would see the American Minister again on Tuesday.—Reuter.

## Steel Mills Can Re-Open In Johnstown But Strikers Aim To Resist Move Governor Lifts Martial Law

New York, June 24.

Martial law has been lifted at Johnstown, Pennsylvania, from Friday, and Governor George H. Earle declares the steel mills there may re-open at 7 a.m.

A union spokesman states that the strikers will resist this move "to the best of our ability."

Meanwhile, with the Steel Mediation Board still deadlocked, Mr. Philip Murray, chairman of the Steel Workers' Organising Committee, proposes that the strike issues should be brought to President Roosevelt for arbitration.—Reuter.

### EMPLOYERS' REPRISAL

Warren, O., June 24.

Unions have ended the "labour holiday" here, but when the men went back to their jobs they found the doors locked against them.

Many companies declare they will reopen at their own convenience.—United Press.

### REFUSE C. I. O. AGREEMENT

New York, June 24.

Officials of the steel companies to-day left what they stated was their last conference with Federal Government mediators. They reiterated their refusal to enter into an agreement with the Steel Workers' Organising Committee, which is a branch of the C. I. O.—Reuter.

## MRS. EARTHART FORCED BACK

Globe Fliers Need To Make Repairs

Bandoeng, June 25.

Mrs. Amelia Earhart Putnam, circling the globe by plane, with three companions, was forced to return here to-day for repairs. She was heading for Port Darwin. The time for her next take-off is uncertain.

Mrs. Putnam plans to fly to Port Darwin, and then across Papua's high mountain chain to Lae, famous airport of the New Guinea goldfields. From there her route is out over the Pacific to Howland Island, thence to Honolulu and so to San Francisco.—Reuter.

## BALDWIN'S WORK APPRECIATED

London, June 24.

Earl Baldwin was presented with a volume containing 550 "resolutions of appreciation" passed by local party organisations at to-day's meeting of the National Union of Conservative and Unionist Associations.—British Wireless.

### T. V. SOONG RETURNS

Canton, June 25.

Mr. T. V. Soong, chairman of the Economic Council, returned to Canton last night after a brief visit to Hongkong. Mayor Tseng Yang-fu and other Government officials met the former Minister of Finance.—Reuter.

## STOP PRESS

## TAKES ANOTHER PUNCH AT BIG FINANCIERS



Franklin D. Roosevelt

No-one will suggest that he is a popular President among the "big money" men and the men who are trying, in the face of unceasing labour troubles, to carry on the nation's industries. But his tax evasion investigation is to spare no-one; not even the family of his son's wife-to-be; and that fact will probably add to his popularity among another class of citizen.

## Tax Evasion Inquiries Spare None

Family Of Bride Of President's Son Involved

## No Question Of Illegal Acts

Washington, June 24.

The names of Mr. Pierre Du Pont and several other relatives of Miss Ethel Du Pont, who is marrying President F. D. Roosevelt's son, Franklin, next week, are included in a list presented to the Congressional Committee which is investigating income tax evasions.

Other prominent persons mentioned include Mr. Andrew Mellon, oil magnate; Mr. Thomas Lamont, steel and armament industrialist; Mr. Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., Mr. John J. Raskob, and Mr. Roy Howard, all of them notable financial figures.

All of these, too, allegedly formed a personal holding company in order to take advantage of tax reductions which are not permitted on individual returns.

The Internal Revenue Commissioner, however, does not claim that any of the activities of these men has been illegal.—Reuter.

## CARDINALS OVERTAKE NEW YORK

Challenge Chicago For Leadership

## N. Y. Yankees Far Ahead of Field

New York, June 24.

St. Louis Cardinals passed New York Giants in the National League race to-day and came on the heels of the leading Chicago Cubs.

St. Louis whipped Brooklyn, thirteen to three, with 14 hits to 12. The Cardinals' play was more finished and their base-running perfect.

Meanwhile, Chicago was avenging itself for yesterday's defeat at the hands of the Giants, and although each hit 13 the Cubs scored ten to five. Berger and Ott hit home runs for the Giants, and Herman gave one to the Cubs.

Boston defeated Pittsburgh, nine to six, though out-hit, 12 to 13. Cincinnati, with homers by Halley and Myers, scored a six to four win over Philadelphia.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York, painfully perfect, again won from St. Louis Browns and kept (Continued on Page 4.)



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Clean your nails  
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Rub a light cream underneath your nails.

Run round the cuticle with an orange stick wrapped in cotton-wool.

Now turn once more, pin right side uppermost in position, require on material, and again trace over the outline of the design.

The next recipe came from one of our number who specialises in hors-d'oeuvre. Tear up the heart of the lettuce into very small pieces and arrange a lover in grapefruit glasses.

The other secret is the adding of the sugar. Beat up the whites till they are so stiff that you can cut them with a knife; then add the su-

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Architects are now engaged in preparing the plans of the new building.

The City will be built on a site adjoining the present Broadcasting House in Portland-place, London.

Colonel G. Val Myer, who designed the present B.B.C. building, is the architect.

Demolition of the private houses which now stand on the site will be begun this autumn.

### UNDERGROUND STUDIOS

The new building will externally be a replica of the Broadcasting House that we know. It will be opened two or three years hence, and together with the present one will form the radio city.

The interior of Broadcasting House No. 2 will, however, be on entirely new lines.

Instead of a central tower of studios, running from the basement to the top floor, there will be a well, around which offices floor level.

Studios will be on three underground floors.

Under the new charter the B.B.C. will be permitted to borrow up to £1,000,000, and it is reported that there will be a building loan for half that amount. The cost of the new building, therefore, will make no inroad into the revenue from licences.

## SACRAMENT FOR THE DIVORCED

THE Archbishop of Canterbury made a statement on the Church's attitude to people who had remarried after divorce before the Upper House of the Convocation of Canterbury this month.

The Bishop of St. Albans (Dr. Michael Furse) had presented a petition on resolutions passed in the Upper House with regard to the admission, during the lifetime of their former partners, of divorced and remarried persons to the Sacraments of the Church.

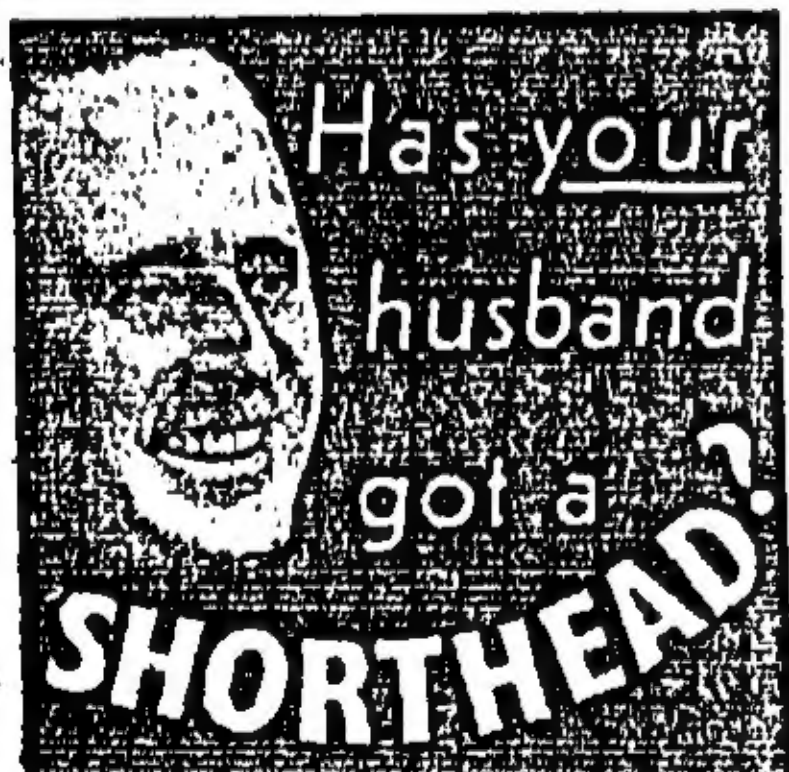
The Primate spoke of misconceptions raised by the causes and scope of the resolutions passed at the last meeting of Convocation.

It was not the case, he said, that the Bishops had made a new, or even startling departure.

The Bishops were always required to consider applications from divorced persons who had remarried to be admitted to the Sacraments of the Church.

Public agitation was at present premature and not likely to advance consideration of a grave question.

In the Lower House a motion was carried that the Church should not allow the use of the marriage service in the case of anyone who has a partner still living.



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Recent Unexpected Heat Wave in London Took Many Visitors To Hyde Park For the First Dip of the Season. Singapore Visitors Are Shown Below



## OUR GUIDE TO THE CINEMAS

"The Great Hospital Mystery" (Alhambra Theatre, to-day).—A powerful mystery drama, sweeping in its emotional appeal and concluding with a clever climax. The picture brings together some very able actors in Jane Darwell, Sig Ruman, Sally Blane, Thomas Beck and Joan Davis. The type of picture which will always entertain.

"In Person" (Majestic Theatre, to-day).—In this film Ginger Rogers demonstrates that she is almost as accomplished a straight actor as she is a dancer. She gives a highly refreshing study, and the equable George Brent makes his usual enjoyable contribution.

"Dangerous Number" (King's Theatre, to-day).—Domestic comedy has become all the rage as a screen vehicle since William Powell and Myrna Loy started their famous appearances together. This is not a "Thin Man" picture, but it carries with it some hilarious domestic comedy, and you are certain to get a laugh or two from the picture. Featured players are Robert Young and Ann Sothern.

"That Girl From Paris" (Star Theatre, to-day).—This is one of the surprise pictures of the year. Although Lily Pons is introduced in it chiefly because she possesses a Grand Opera voice of outstanding quality, the chief note of the film is comedy. Jack Oakie's boisterous, but clever fun-making is delightful, and Gene Raymond's genial personality helps to gild the picture. One astonishing and novel number is Lily Pons singing "Blue Danube" to hot rhythm. Strauss admirers may be slightly shocked, but there is no denying the skill of originally invested in the number.

"Crown And Glory" (Queen's Theatre, to-day).—Stirring and fascinating film, made specially to commemorate the Coronation of King

George VI. It is an assembly of historical documentary pictures from authentic official records, plus scraps of news-reel pictures made from the accession of the present King. Admirable supporting programme of short features.

"Sing, Baby, Sing" (Oriental Theatre, to-day).—Whooping with laughs, tingling with tunes, sizzling with swing and abaze with names, "Sing, Baby, Sing" showing at the Oriental Theatre to-day is a mad jamboree of fun-makers, stars and sloggers, songsters and show-stoppers, that is one of the most hilarious theatricals ever brought to the screen. With Alice Faye, Adolphe Menjou, Gregory Ratoff, Ted Healy, Patry Kelly, Michael Whalen and a trio of very welcome screen newcomers, the Ritz Brothers, "Sing, Baby, Sing" starts off in a gale of laughter that increases steadily until it is a raging tornado of mirth at the rib-racking climax. Four new songs, "Love Will Tell," "Sing, Baby, Sing," "You Turned the Tables On Me" and "When Did You Leave Heaven?" provide musical interludes for the never-ending laughs.

## "SACRAMENT FOR SNOBS"

But Not For The Divorced

A DELAYING amendment was passed by the Lower House of Convocation of Canterbury recently to the Bishop of Bathurst's resolution calling for the admission to the Sacrament of divorced and remarried persons.

Proposing the amendment—that the matter be not considered—was the Archdeacon of Dudley (Dr. A. P. Shepherd) urged that the whole matter of marriage and divorce should go back to a joint committee of the two Convocations, to deliberate in public.

The Rev. E. D. Merritt (London), supporting the amendment, said the resolution, however, it may be intended, will be taken by the public in such a way as to appear to pander to the modern non-Christian notions with regard to marriage and divorce.

The Bishop of Plymouth said: "Recently I went to see a very remarkable play, which is based upon an equally remarkable classic—Jane Eyre."

"I am not at all sure that it would not be a good thing for all members of this reverend House to attend that piece."

"If nothing else, they could carry away the ringing words of Fairfax Rochester, after the abortive marriage ceremony—'May you judge as you would be judged yourself one day.'"

The Archdeacon of Stoke-on-Trent, supporting the resolution, said the scandal-monger, the snob who despised his fellow men, and the profiteer could attend at Holy Communion. Though he (the Archdeacon) thought, mistakenly, did what he believed to be in accordance with the law of Christ, was the one person to be singled out and treated as a notorious evil liver.

The amendment was carried by 91 votes to 74, and the House adjourned.

## "It's A Boy" Radio

Moscow, June 10. A radio message to-day to Dr. Deodorov, one of the thirteen Soviet scientists camped near the North Pole, told him that his wife had given birth to a boy. The expedition have begun making a film of their daily life.

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## Dying Girl In Train Was "Ace" Detective

Paris, June 10.

LAETITIA Toureaux, beautiful Italian girl found dying with a knife in her neck in a Paris rush hour on Sunday, was a successful private detective with the reputation of never failing to "get her man."

Not even her family or friends knew.

This sensational revelation was made to-day by M. Rouffignac, head of a private inquiry agency in whose employ Mme. Toureaux had long been.

"She was one of the ablest of my detectives," he said. "She did not have a single failure."

"She was an ace at following people unobserved and she also made a number of successful industrial inquiries in factories and workshops."

The police are now working on the theory that her death may be an act of vengeance on the part of one of the men whom she "got."

Mme. Toureaux was found alone in a first-class carriage when the train stopped at Porte Dore, less than a minute after it had left the busy terminus at Porte Charenton.

## SOHO KILLER GOES INSANE

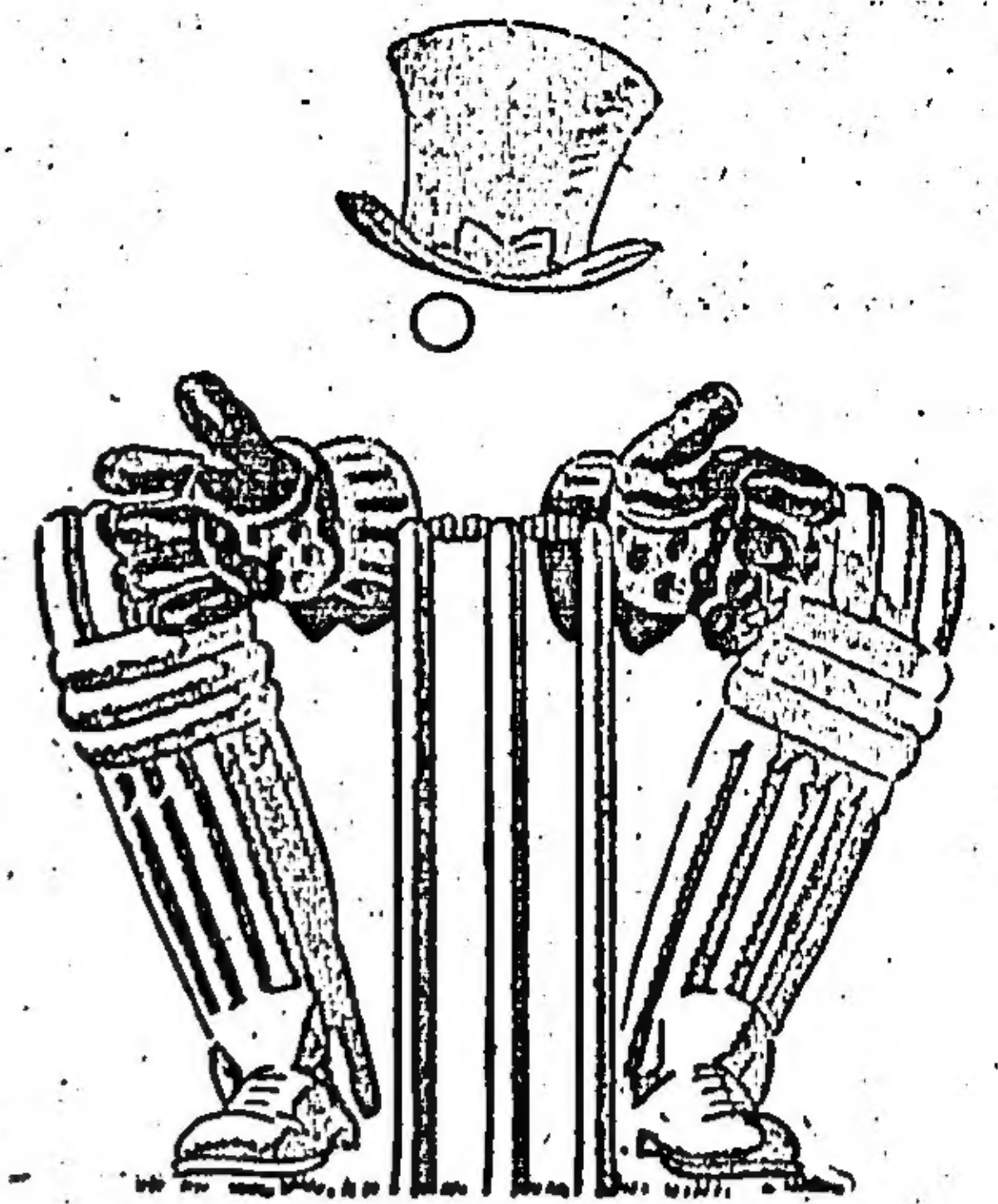
### Murdered "Red Max"

Paris, June 15. Roger Vernon, Devil's Island escapee, sentenced in Paris last month to ten years' gaol and banishment for twenty years for the murder of "Red Max" Kassel in Soho, has gone insane.

He no longer recognises his grey-haired seventy-year-old father—who spent most of his savings for his son's defence—his mother or his wife, Esther. He lies in the infirmary of the Sante Prison, refusing to eat or to speak.

A sheath knife had been driven into her neck from behind.

As an Army officer and three women entered the train at Porte Dore they saw Mme. Toureaux fall forward from her seat. She tried to speak, but could not.



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## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

### SWAN, CULBERTSON & FRITZ LATEST REPORTS

New York, June 24. S. C. & F. Dow Jones Summary of yesterday's market:—Stocks showed strength in the latter part of the day on the announcement of the discontinuance of martial-law in Johnston. Other sections were firm, including motors and commodities. Coppers were particularly strong. Aviation and ship-buildings firm. But trading was light. Farms strengthened. Oils and utilities showed small gains. Bonds, including Government issues, were irregularly lower. Curb stocks were irregularly higher and the market was quiet.

S. C. & F. Wall Street Journal morning comment:—There was some short-covering of U. S. Steel yesterday. London is speculatively buying coppers as a result of the unsettled political outlook. Brokers believe the best buying opportunities to be in electrical equipments, farm equipments, mail orders, coppers and oil shares. Any good news might stimulate a sharp market advance.

S. C. & F. New York office cables:—Stock: The market continued to show improvement, especially towards the close, responding to the announcement of the modification of martial law at Johnston. Traders were also encouraged by the statement before the Senate Committee

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A limited competitive examination for vacancies for Local Clerks, Grade III, will be held at 9.30 a.m. on Monday, 12th July, 1937. Candidates must be between the ages of 19-30.

Application for selection to compete must be made in the candidate's own handwriting and should reach the Chief Constructor, H.M. Dockyard, not later than a.m. 30th June.

### NOTICE

The Offices of The Dunlop Rubber Co., (China) Ltd., will be closed on Friday, 25th inst., as a mark of respect to their late Chairman, Sir Eric Geddes.

urging the incorporation and supervision of labour unions. While the domestic situation is still unsettled, the chances favour further improvement, hence we would hold stocks for the time being.

Cotton: Short-covering has subsided and there was little support otherwise. The technical position has weakened. The technical position has weakened. The technical position has weakened.

Wheat: There has been heavy profit-taking and a hedge-selling. Saskatchewan advises 5,000,000 acres of failure, 14,500,000 acres of "A" crop and 5,000,000 acres good. The Department of Agriculture reports the spread of rust, but there has been no appreciable damage to the winter crop. There are indications of rain in the dry Canadian sections. Demand at present is less urgent.

Corn: There was some short-covering of July, but later options were heavy. The market looks lower on fine crop prospects.

Rubber: The Malayan Census for May shows total exports 51,152 tons, estate stocks 25,534 tons, dealers' stocks 43,401 tons and production 35,412 tons. The market to-day was quiet and steady at the advance.

Sugar: The market was quiet but fully steady on renewed lifting of hedges.

### REUTER QUOTATIONS

Down Jones Aver.	June 23	June 24
30 Industrials	109.01	110.08
20 Rails	53.05	53.15
20 Utilities	26.19	26.19
40 Bonds	100.70	100.60
11 Commodity Index	69.28	69.40

## STAMPING OUT GAMBLING

WU TEH-CHEN STARTS NEW CAMPAIGN

Canton, June 25. Determined to wipe out gambling in Kwangtung, Mr. Wu Teh-chen, in his concurrent post as chairman of the Opium Suppression Commission, has launched a new drive which has already resulted in many arrests.

Local headquarters of the Military Affairs Commission is under orders to take drastic steps to suppress the gambling evil, says an official bulletin released to-day, while the metropolitan and county police are acting under similar instructions.—Reuter.

### RAIDS CARRIED OUT

Canton, June 25. The Shamen authorities are co-operating with the Canton Government to suppress gambling in the concessions.

Police and gendarmes raided gaming houses and unlicensed opium dens yesterday, according to the Canton Gazette, and a raid on a big gambling house in Sanpu village, near Canton, resulted in the arrest of 28 persons.—Reuter.

## PLAY NARROWS TO REAL STARS AT WIMBLEDON

(Continued from Page 1.)

over H. G. N. Lee, former British Davis Cupper. Lee lost after annexing the first set.

### SHAYES WINS WELL

Ronald Shayes, promising young Englishman, followed up his victory over W. C. Choy by winning to-day against Nakano. It was a 6-3 match, Shayes losing the first set at 6-3, winning the second at 10-8 and securing the third and fourth at 6-3, and 6-1 respectively.

"Bitty" Grant had to lose a set to E. R. Avery of Britain before he could advance to the last 16, but from Britain's viewpoint the big disappointment was the elimination of C. M. Jones, rising young player, in straight sets. Jones lost to Hecht, the Czechoslovakian, and though he put up a good showing he was expected to do better than he did.

Budge has still to lose a set. To-day he obliterated Boussus of France, losing only seven games. It is noteworthy to recall that Perry did not lose a set at Wimbledon last year until he had reached the semi-final.

### STIFF DOUBLES

W. C. Choy lost active interest in Wimbledon to-day when, in the first round of the men's doubles, he and J. Van Den Eynde of Belgium lost to J. G. F. Lysaght and P. V. S. Verhoeven after a five set match of 55 games. The scores were 7-5, 5-8, 1-6, 7-5, 6-4.

Reuter says that Choy was in good form and the mainspring of his partnership in a match chiefly featured by volleying.

Jiro Yamagishi and Miss Betty Nuthall equalled best Riscley and Fr. Kraus in the mixed doubles, the scores being 6-2, 6-2. The Anglo-Japanese pair were too strong for their opponents, observes Reuter, Yamagishi being brilliant at the net.

## ANGLO-FRENCH WARNING SENT VON NEURATH

(Continued from Page 1.)

It had received no information whatever to confirm the report of the arrival of Italian troops in Malaga and other Spanish ports. He added that His Majesty's ships to which patrol duties in the Malaga area had been assigned had made no report tending to show any such development had occurred.

Lord Cranborne also gave information on Spain. Recalling the fact that His Majesty's ships had provided for the evacuation of non-combatants on numerous occasions he said he was informed negotiations were in progress between the Spanish Government and the International Red Cross for the evacuation of a large number of women and children from Madrid.—British Wireless.

## CARDINALS OVERTAKE NEW YORK

(Continued from Page 1.)

its place far ahead of the field. The Yankees scored nine to six; Dickey and Selkirk hitting home runs. Vosmik circled the bases for the Browns.

Chicago beat Philadelphia, seven to two. Lefty Grove of Boston shut out the Detroit Tigers, allowing nine hits but not a run, and the Red Sox scored nine on 13 hits. Cronin hit a homer.

Washington won from Cleveland, eight to two.—Reuter.

## U.S. WARSHIP ARRIVES

The U.S.S. Mindanao which arrived yesterday and sailed for the Comoro Islands today, will be in the harbor as well as the Ashville.

The Russian floating dock which is being towed to Vladivostok, will probably leave harbour to-morrow with its escort of one steamer and two tugs.

## Shipping Intelligence

Shipping Companies are requested to forward, as early as possible information regarding arrivals, departures, time and mooring place and other movements. Urgent information should be telephoned to the shipping Editor, Phone 26615.

### PORT DIRECTORY

FOOSHING (J.M.), Kowloon Dock.  
CHENG TU (B. & S.), Taikeo Sugar Refinery Wharf.  
MAISANG (J.M.), B.22.  
NALDERA (P. & O.), Kowloon Wharf.  
SUISANG (J.M.), Kowloon Wharf.  
TAI SEUN HONG (J.M.), B.2.  
YINGCHOW (B. & S.), Taikeo Dock.

### ARRIVED YESTERDAY

(Agents Phone Numbers Given)  
EURYADES (B. & S.) from Straits, 8 p.m., Kowloon Bay.  
HELIAS (Thoresen) from Swatow, 8 a.m., B.4, 30217.  
NAGARA MARU (N.Y.K.) from Japan, daylight, Kowloon Wharf, 2071.  
KORYUN (J.M.) from Shanghai, 4.30 p.m., West Point Wharf, 30311.

### SAILED YESTERDAY

(Agents Phone Numbers Given)  
ALDINGTON COURT (Johsen) for Shanghai, midnight, Kowloon Wharf, 26061.  
BEHAR (P. & O.) for Shanghai, 6 a.m., Kowloon Wharf, 2721.  
CHENIER (J.C.L.) for Singapore, 4 a.m., A.1, 28016.  
NORVICK (J.M.) for Canton, 9 p.m., West Point Wharf, 30311.  
RANXU (P. & O.) for Shanghai, noon, Kowloon Wharf, 2721.  
TAIYUAN (B. & S.) for Amoy, 6 a.m., A.2, 30331.  
TIAWA (B. L.) for Shanghai, 9 a.m., Kowloon Wharf, 2721.  
TJIRADAK (J.C.L.) for Shanghai, 3 p.m., Taikeo Sugar Refinery Wharf, 2071.  
SUISANG (J.M.) from Calcutta, 9 a.m., Kowloon Wharf, 30311.

### ARRIVING TO-DAY

(Agents Phone Numbers Given)  
ATSUTA MARU (N.Y.K.) from Japan, 10 a.m., Kowloon Wharf, 30201.  
DANMARK (E.A.C.), July 2, from Europe, noon, Kowloon Wharf.  
GRETE MAERSK (Johsen) from Manila, noon, A.1, 26061.  
NALDERA (P. & O.) from Shanghai, 8 a.m., Kowloon Wharf, 2721.  
PRESIDENT HOOVER (Dollar) from Manila, 7 a.m., Kowloon Wharf, 28471.  
PRESIDENT MCKINLEY (Dollar) from Shanghai, 11 p.m., Kowloon Wharf, 2721.

### SAILING TO-DAY

(Agents Phone Numbers Given)  
EMPRESS OF ASIA (C.P.S.) for Japan, noon, Kowloon Wharf, 20409.  
TAI SEUN HONG (J.M.) for Tientsin, 4 p.m., B.2, 30311.  
YUEN SANG (J.M.) for Calcutta, 9 a.m., A.15, 30311.

### GOLD MINE PLANS

MANCHUKUO TO INCREASE ANNUAL OUTPUT

Manchukuo plans to increase the annual production of gold to 100 tons, or about ¥300,000,000, of which a third will come from placer mining in North-Manchuria, another third from Jehol and the remainder from Manchuria.

The Japanese Government has already shifted gold bullion totalling ¥200,000,000 to America since March 11, to cover the excess of imports over exports, and is likely to make another shipment between ¥30,000,000 and ¥50,000,000 this year. Together with the proceeds of invisible trade this is considered sufficient to cover the excess of imports over exports.—Reuter.

## BARRED FROM SECOND TERM

Washington, June 24. Senator Manuel Quezon of the Philippine Islands to-day stated that he opposed any amendment of the constitution just to allow him to take a second term in office.—Reuter.

### R.A.F. DISPLAY

London, June 24. Rehearsals for the Royal Air Force display, which Their Majesties will attend at Hendon on Saturday, are attracting great public interest, and, in particular, the training practices for the remarkable Coronation mass formation flight of 260 service aircraft, which is visible over a large area of counties to the north of London.—British Wireless.

### NEW APPOINTMENT

London, June 24. The King has approved the appointment of Mr. E. C. D. Rawlins, Commercial Counsellor at Berlin, to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at La Paz, succeeding Mr. T. J. Morris, who is shortly retiring.—British Wireless.

### N.Z. PREMIER LEAVES

London, June 24. Mr. K. J. Savage, Prime Minister of New Zealand, left England to-day on his return home from attending the Coronation and the Imperial Conference.—British Wireless.

### ARRIVING TO-MORROW

(Agents Phone Numbers Given)  
NORVICK (J.M.) from Canton, 9 a.m., B.2, 30311.  
PAUL DOUMER (M.M.) from Saigon, 7.30 a.m., West Point, 26651.

### SAILING TO-MORROW

(Agents Phone Numbers Given)  
ATSUTA MARU (N.Y.K.) for Australia, 10 a.m., Kowloon Wharf, 30201.  
GRETE MAERSK (Johsen) for America, noon, A.1, 26061.  
PRESIDENT HOOVER (Dollar) for Manila, 6 p.m., Kowloon Wharf, 28471.  
NALDERA (P. & O.) for Europe, noon, Kowloon Wharf, 2721.

### VESSELS DUE

AEneas (B. & S.), June 28.  
AFRIKA (E.A.C.), July 2.  
ASAMA MARU (N.Y.K.), July 2.  
BAHNS (J.C.L.), July 2.  
BURGENLAND (Johsen), June 30.  
CHAKSANG (J.M.), June 28.  
CHICHU MARU (N.Y.K.), July 23.  
CHICHALION (B. & S.), July 4.  
DIOMED (B. & S.), June 28.  
EMPRESS OF CANADA (C.P.S.), July 30.  
EMPRESS OF JAPAN (C.P.S.), July 30.  
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA (C.P.S.), July 30.  
EUMAEUS (B. & S.), June 28.  
GASTERKEIK (J.C.L.), July 6.  
GENERAL LEE (Estate), July 2.  
HAKUSAN MARU (N.Y.K.), July 2.  
GOLDEN HIND (States), June 29.  
GRETE MAERSK (Johsen), June 26.  
GROOTEKERK (J.C.L.), July 2.  
HAKUSAN MARU (N.Y.K.), July 2.  
HANGSANG (J.M.), June 26.  
HAKUNA MARU (N.Y.K.), July 10.  
HIMALAYA (C.L.), July 8.  
HISAM (Melchior), July 4.  
KAMO MARU (N.Y.K.), July 23.  
KASHIMA MARU (N.Y.K.), Aug. 13.  
KUMANG (A.M.), July 1.  
NANKIN (E. & A.), June 28.  
NIEL MAERSK (Johsen), June 29.  
PANAMA (E.A.C.), July 1.  
SAMSAM (Melchior), July 8.  
RAKUYO MARU (N.Y.K.), July 26.  
SCHARNHORST (Melchior), June 26.  
SIAMSE PRINCE (Furness), June 26.  
SUISANG (J.M.), June 27.  
TALITHYBUS (H. & S.), July 9.  
TATIA (Thoresen), July 16.  
TATIA (Thoresen), July 17.  
TAIYO MARU (N.Y.K.), July 19.  
TARONGA (Thoresen), July 4.  
TATUTATA (J.C.L.), Aug. 5.  
TIANSONG (J.C.L.), June 27.  
TRIANON (Thoresen), July 19.  
VAN HEUTZ (J.C.L.), June 29.  
YASUKUNI MARU (N.Y.K.), Aug. 26.

## CONVICTION UPHELD

### RE-HEARING OF ASSAULT CROSS-SUMMONS

The conviction and subsequent fine of £20 which was imposed on Lance Sergeant Lal Khan, B145, on June 2 by Mr. W. Schofield on a cross-summons of assault taken out by a Chinese junk master, Li To-ke, by a Chinese junk master, Li To-ke, was upheld at the Central Magistracy yesterday. Pleading mitigation, Mr. D. McCallum, defending, stated that as a result of that fine, 103 black marks would be made against his client on his Police record. The fine was of small consequence in view of those black marks, which could not be worked off in a lifetime. His Worship agreed with Mr. M. A. de Silva in that whatever was wrong with outside systems, that could not affect the system of the Court.

Tao Fun, witness of the assault, stated that he was on the bow of the junk when he saw his master, complainant, leave the junk and approach defendant who had arrested one of the foks. His master told the foks not to be afraid, and the Indian sergeant accused complainant of being insolent. Defendant tried to strike complainant with the trunk, but complainant retreated. Defendant called out to a Chinese constable to arrest complainant. This was done and complainant was taken back to defendant. The coolie got away. After the Chinese constable had walked away, defendant struck complainant first with his fist and then with his truncheon. Complainant struggled and managed to break away. Defendant jumped at complainant, who slipped and they both fell into the harbour.

The other Indian constable was concerned with the case after they had boarded the tram. On the tram, defendant further assaulted complainant and his mother, who when about to alight at Whitty Street, was kicked by defendant.

Defence Plea. Addressing his Worship, Mr. McCallum said that it was part of the Indian's duty to prevent obstructions, and when defendant arrested complainant, complainant assaulted defendant, who was merely executing his duty. The temperament and physical build of complainant went to show that he would not submit to any assault without offering the utmost resistance. It was submitted that complainant interfered with the sergeant in the execution of his duty, which in itself was a serious offence. It was stressed that no report was made at the police station about the assault.

Mr. Silva said that all the further evidence at the re-hearing had been of little help to the Court, apart from Mr. McCallum's analytical evidence. No objection was raised because Mr. Silva did not want it thought that defendant had not had the opportunity of fully defending himself. It was not surprising that there was no report made at the police station regarding this assault in view of the fact that the man had been assaulted by a police constable, and finding himself surrounded by all the paraphernalia of a police station, he was cowed. Mr. Silva then went on to deal with the evidence.

Remarking that he could see nothing in the evidence that would make him change his mind, the Court upheld the previous conviction.

## POST OFFICE.

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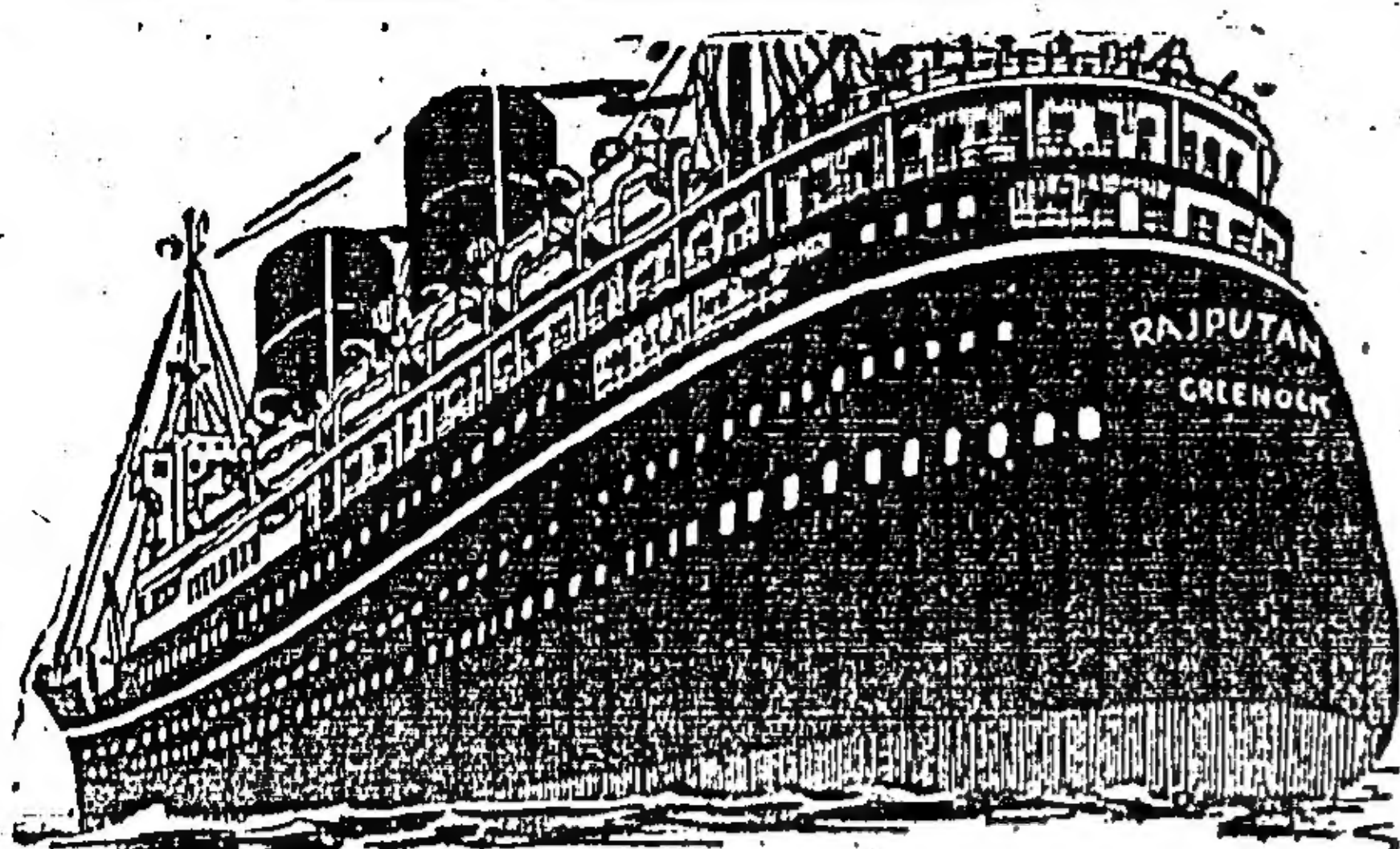
Japan	Atsuta Maru	June 25.
Straits	Hakodate Maru	June 25.
Japan, Shanghai and Europe via	Naldera	June 25.
Siberia, London, 7th June	Pres. Hoover	June 25.
Manila	Pres. McKinley	June 25.
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai	Suisang	June 25.
(Seattle, 5th June)	Elmshir	June 26.
Calcutta, Straits and Saigon	C. G. Paul Doumer	June 26.
Shanghai	Pres. Doumer	June 26.
Haiphong	Socchow	June 26.
Shanghai and Swatow	Bokuyo Maru	June 27.
Japan	Canton	June 27.
Haiphong	Conte Rosso	June 27.
Shanghai	Diomed	June 27.
Straits	Eumaeus	June 27.
Straits	Ginyo Maru	June 27.
Shanghai	Schamhorst	June 27.
Swatow	Yochow	June 27.
Shanghai	Aeneas	June 28.
Japan	Bany Maru	June 28.
Saloon	Nankin	June 28.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways"	Barents	June 28.
Direct Service—London date,	Imperial Airways Plane	June 29.
10th June.	Von Heulz	June 29.
Air Mail by "Pan-American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco, date, 23rd June.	Pan-American Airways Plane	June 30.
Amoy	La Plata Maru	July 1.
Japan and Shanghai	Shirala	July 1.
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and	Asama Maru	July 2.
Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 12th June)	Emp. of Canada	July 2.
Japan and Shanghai	General Lee	July 2.
Japan and Shanghai	Hakusan Maru	July 2.
Straits	Kashima Maru	July 3.
Australia and Manila	Nellore	July 3.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 5th June)	Pres. Monroe	July 3.
Java and Manila	Tilsandari	July 3.
Straits and Manila	Deucalion	July 4.

### OUTWARD MAILS

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For	Per Friday	Date and Time.
Formosa	Euryades	Fri., June 25, 12.30 p.m.
Hainan, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Kingyuan	Fri., June 25, 1 p.m.
Swatow	Tai Suen Hong	Fri., June 25, 2.30 p.m.
Foochow	Suiyang	Fri., June 25, 5 p.m.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand	Atsuta Maru	Fri., June 25, 5 p.m.
via Thursday Island—due Thrusday Island, 6th July	Reg.	June 25, 5.30 p.m.
Air Mail for "K.L.M. Service"—due Naldera, Amsterdam 5th July.	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	Sat., June 26, 9.30 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, E. and S. Naldera	Reg.	June 26, 9.30 a.m.
Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	Sat., June 26, 9.30 a.m.
via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 23rd July.	Reg.	June 26, 9.45 a.m.
Air Mail for Canton and Districts	C.N.A.C. Plane	Sat., June 26, 1.30 p.m.
Reg.	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	Sat., June 26, Noon.
Shanghai *Japan and *Europe via	Pres. Hoover	Sat., June 26, 1.30 p.m.
Siberia	Reg.	June 26, 1.45 p.m.
Shanghai—Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., C. and S. America, Canada and *Europe via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 14th July.	Reg.	June 26, 1.45 p.m.
Manila, Straits, Ceylon, India, Conte Rosso	Reg.	June 26, 2.30 p.m.
*Europe via Brindisi	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	Sat., June 26, 4.15 p.m.
—due Brindisi, 18th July	Reg.	June 26, 5 p.m.
Manila	Pres. McKinley	Sat., June 26, 4.30 p.m.
Air Mail for Swatow, Amoy, Foochow and N. China (via Shanghai)	C.N.A.C. Plane	Sat., June 26, 4.30 p.m.
Reg.	Shengwan P.O.	Sat., June 26, 5 p.m.
Kowloon P.O.	Reg.	June 26, 5 p.m.
Reg.	Reg.	June 26, 5.30 p.m.
Sunday	Reg.	June 27, 5 p.m.
Japan	Suisang	Sun., June 27, 5.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru	Sun., June 27, 9 a.m.
Manila and Parcel only for Ger-	Schamhorst	Sun., June 27, 9 a.m.
many via Hamburg	Reg.	Sun., June 27, 9 a.m.
Shanghai	Siamese Prince	Sun., June 27, 9 a.m.
Batavia	Tjikembang	Tues., June 29, 9.30 a.m.
Straits and *Europe via Marseilles	Aeneas	Tues., June 29, 9.30 a.m.
—due Marseilles 1st August and London Parcel—due London, 8th August.	Reg.	June 29, 9 a.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kalgan	Tues., June 29, 3.30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Fukuken Maru	Wed., June 30, 10.30 a.m.
Haiphong	Canton	Wed., June 30, 2 p.m.
Fort Bayard and *Haiphong	C.G. Paul Doumer	Wed., June 30, 2.30 p.m.
Amoy	Tsinan	Wed., June 30, 3.30 p.m.
Air Mail for "K.L.M. Service"—due Amsterdam, 12th July.	La Plata Maru	Wed., June 30, 4 p.m.
Reg.	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	Wed., June 30, 4.30 p.m.
Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Pan-American Airways Plane	Pan-American Airways Plane	Wed., June 30, 4.30 p.m.
Honolulu and U.S.A., by the Pan-American Airways Direct Service—due San Francisco, 6th July.	Reg.	June 30, 5 p.m.
Kowloon P.O.	Reg.	June 30, 5 p.m.
Reg.	Reg.	June 30, 5 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, E. and South Africa	Reg.	June 30, 5 p.m.
Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Nankin	Reg.	June 30, 5 p.m.
Zealand via Brisbane—due Brisbane, 10th July.	Reg.	July 2, 8.30 a.m.
Sandakan	Mausong	Fri., July 2, 8.30 a.m.
Manila	Empress of Canada	Fri., July 2, 8.30 a.m.





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NALDERA	16,000	26th June	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*ALIPORE	5,000	5th July	Straits, Bombay & Karachi.
CARTHAGE	14,500	10th July	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*BHUTAN	6,000	17th July	Bombay, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
RANCHI	17,000	24th July	Bombay, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
*BEHAR	6,000	31st July	Bombay, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
KAISAR-I-HIND	11,000	7th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*SOUDAN	7,000	14th Aug.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.

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#### BRITISH INDIA-APCAR SAILING

SHIRALA	8,000	3rd July	Singapore, Port Swettenham.
TILAWA	10,000	17th July	Singapore, Port Swettenham.
SANTHA	8,000	31st July	Singapore, Port Swettenham.
TALMA	10,000	14th Aug.	Penang, Rangoon & Calcutta.
SIRDHANA	8,000	28th Aug.	Penang, Rangoon & Calcutta.

#### EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN SAILINGS

NANKIN	7,000	2nd July	Manila, Rabaul, Brisbane, Sydney.
NELLORE	7,000	31st July	Melbourne & Hobart.
FANDA	7,000	3rd Sept.	Melbourne & Hobart.

#### SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI & JAPAN

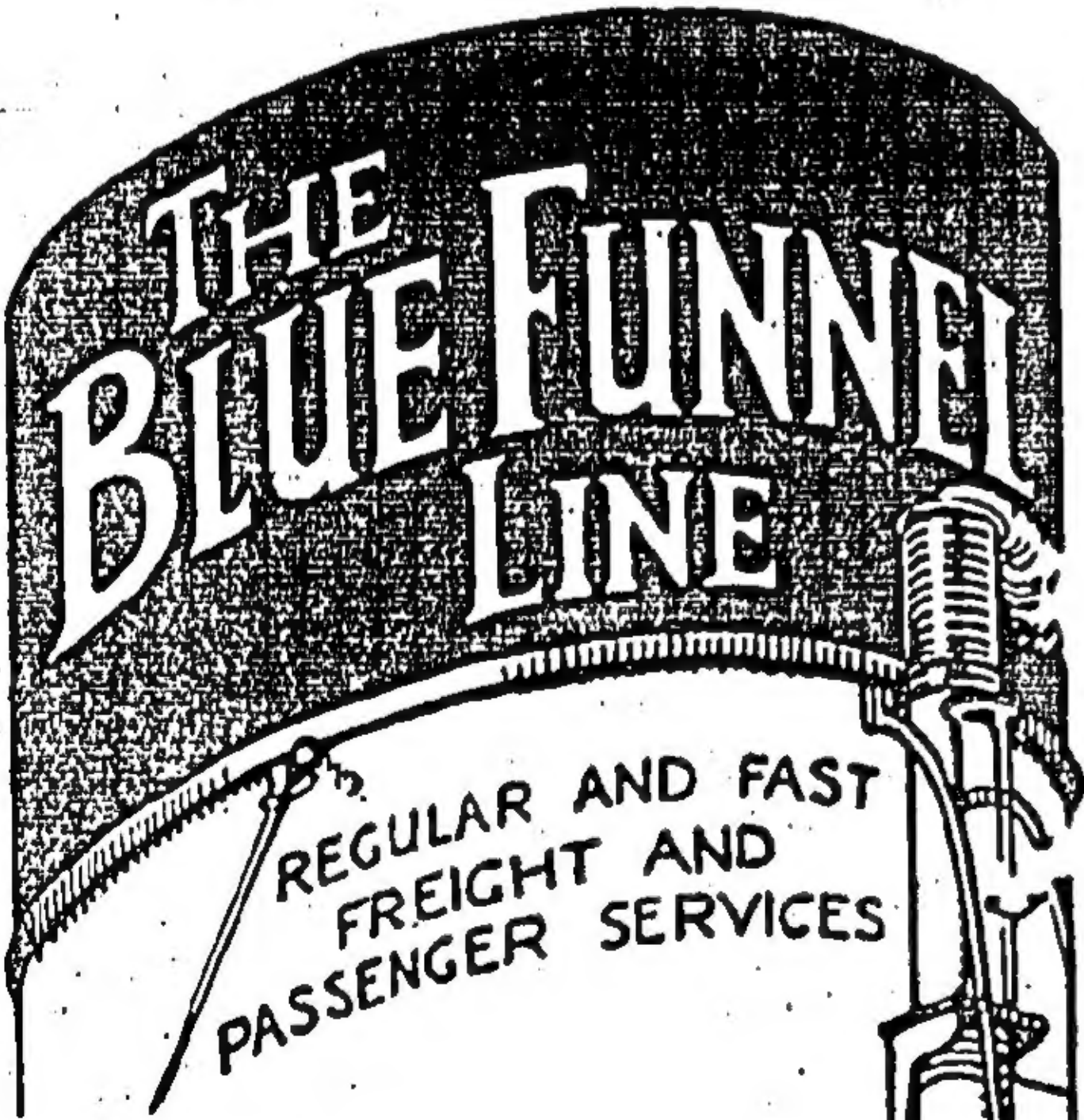
NELLORE	7,000	4th July	Shanghai & Japan.
SANTHA	8,000	8th July	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan.
KAISAR-I-HIND	11,000	8th July	Shanghai & Japan.
TALMA	10,000	22nd July	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan.
Rajputana	17,000	22nd July	Shanghai & Japan.
TANDA	7,000	5th Aug.	Shanghai & Japan.
Sirdhana	8,000	5th Aug.	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan.

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The barbed wire of the Tsar's emissary is pictured on the sound screen in all the dramatic impact, breathlessness, and terror which Jules Verne injected with a creative pen into his classic adventure novel, "Michael Strogoff," now an RKO Radio spectacular melodrama, showing on Saturday at the Queen's and Alhambra Theatres. The title role is entrusted to the international star, Anton Walbrook; and in the above scene are Elizabeth Allan, Strogoff's noble sweetheart; Fay Bainter, his embittered mother; Walbrook's Margot, the treacherous Genghis Khan; Constantine Romanoff, the executioner; and Francis MacDonald, a Tartar chieftain.

#### RECENT AERIAL JOY-RIDES

#### NO DECISION ON INQUIRY

So far no information is available as to whether an inquiry will be held into the flight by two Far East Aviation School pupils into Chinese territory earlier this month. A definite decision is expected within a few days.

Flight Lieutenant P. Holroyd Smith, Chief Flying Instructor at Kai Tak, in an interview yesterday said that the published statement that the School had to pay a large sum to the Kwangtung Provincial Government for the return of the two planes was quite incorrect, and that actually only \$70 was paid out—a proper charge made for the storage of one of the planes at Canton for 21 days.

"The Provincial Government and the Consul General at Canton were extremely helpful when I visited Canton," said Lt. Smith, "and both myself and the School are very grateful for the aid we received in the negotiations, which were facilitated in every way. Our pupils by their rash act caused considerable annoyance to the Provincial Government which was, however, very anxious to help us in the necessary subsequent negotiations for the return of the planes to Hongkong."

Ho, one of the pupils, has not yet returned to Hongkong, but his companion arrived here last week-end. The plane which had been landed at Canton and stored there by the Kwangtung authorities was flown back by Lt. Smith last Sunday, and is quite undamaged. The other plane was very slightly damaged when it landed on the bank of a river. It was more seriously damaged later, however, when the river rose and the plane was submerged for nearly 30 hours.

"Mr. Milne, a member of the Flying School staff, who went to collect this second plane, was accorded every assistance," said Lt. Smith yesterday. "We would like to record our appreciation of the captain of the Guard's assistance at Nam Yung. He was very helpful in the matter of supplying labour and advice when Mr. Milne set about salvaging the plane and transporting it to Canton."

This plane was insured, and is at present being repaired at Kai Tak.

The Hongkong Clipper left Hongkong on her return flight to Manila yesterday morning carrying four passengers. They were Miss Whittingham, who is completing a round trip from Alameda to Shanghai and return by air, Mr. George Angus,

#### 21 YEARS AGO IN H.K.

#### VOLUNTEER OFFICER DECORATED

The marriage took place at Home of Major G. T. Brierley, D.S.O., former R.A. Adjutant in Hongkong, to Miss Eily Coppinger.

At a parade of the Volunteer Corps, H.E. the Governor presented Captain W. Armstrong with the Colonial Officers' Auxiliary Medal, for long service.

The rate of the dollar on demand was 2s. 13/16d.

#### WATER LEVELS FOR WEST, NORTH AND EAST RIVERS

The River Conservancy Commission for Kwangtung Province issues the following report on water levels, in metres, for the West, North and East Rivers.

Place of Observation	Record	23/6	24/6
West River at Wuchow	+24.28	-0.76	+13.01
West River at Shantung	+12.50	0	+8.29
North River at Tainyuen	+4.20	0	+3.73
North River at Shantung	+0.41	-1.52	+5.58
East River at Shantung	+4.72	-0.82	+1.71

Mr. T. Kent Morris and Mr. E. T. Pinney.

Mr. T. Kent Morris is the Chief of the Communications Department of Pan-American Airways and has the difficult task of supervising all supplies for the hotels and island bases along the Pacific route, on board the planes, etc.

Mr. Pinney is a prominent New York lawyer who is completing a pleasure tour of the Far East by plane. Mr. Pinney flew here from Alameda and then made an aerial tour of China.

Mr. George Angus is the Superintendent of Communications for Pan-American Airways and his main task is to supervise all radio work connected with the planes.

While in Hongkong Mr. Angus has been in conference with Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones and Mr. A. J. R. Moss regarding standardisation of radio frequencies used by Pan-American and C.N.A.C. planes coming into and leaving Hongkong and in communication with Kai Tak Airport. These negotiations will result in an understanding between the local authorities and the American company which will make the work at Kai Tak much easier in the future, especially as traffic there increases.

#### NEW CHINESE NEWSPAPER

#### HAW PAR BROTHERS BUY SITE

A big property transaction was completed on Wednesday by Mr. Ip Kwai-chung, attorney of Haw Par Brothers (Mr. Aw Boon-haw and Mr. Aw Boon-par).

The entire factory machinery and site of the M. Y. San Co's old biscuit and confectionery factory at Wanchai Road has been purchased by Haw Par Brothers, for the purpose of promoting an additional business newspaper in the Colony. Messrs. Aw have previously promoted a number of newspapers in China and the Straits, and only recently started one in Canton.

It is proposed that the title of the new venture be the *Sing To Yat Po* or "The Star of the Island," and it is learned the piece of land purchased will be used exclusively for the newspaper building. Messrs. Aw have purchased a Duplex Unitubular rotary press from Linotype & Machinery Ltd., which is capable of printing 40,000 copies an hour, folded and counted. The cost of this machine alone is in the region of \$150,000.

The biscuit and confectionery machinery, which is not needed in the newspaper business, is for disposal to purchasers at a reasonable figure.

The cost of the land, building, and machinery of this new newspaper plant will total something like a million dollars, it is stated. Mr. Ip Kwai-chung, interviewed, confirmed this information yesterday.

#### Former Biscuit Factory

Formerly one of Hongkong's leading Chinese biscuit and confectionery manufacturers, the M. Y. San Company was founded in 1910, when it opened a small factory in Wanchai. After two years' successful trading, the Company opened its big factory on the Wanchai Road site, which has now been sold.

It was reorganised into a limited company in 1917, with a paid up capital of \$2,000,000. The Company underwent a second reorganisation in 1927, but suspended business in 1935, previously reducing its capital to \$1,000,000. The factory had been idle since then.

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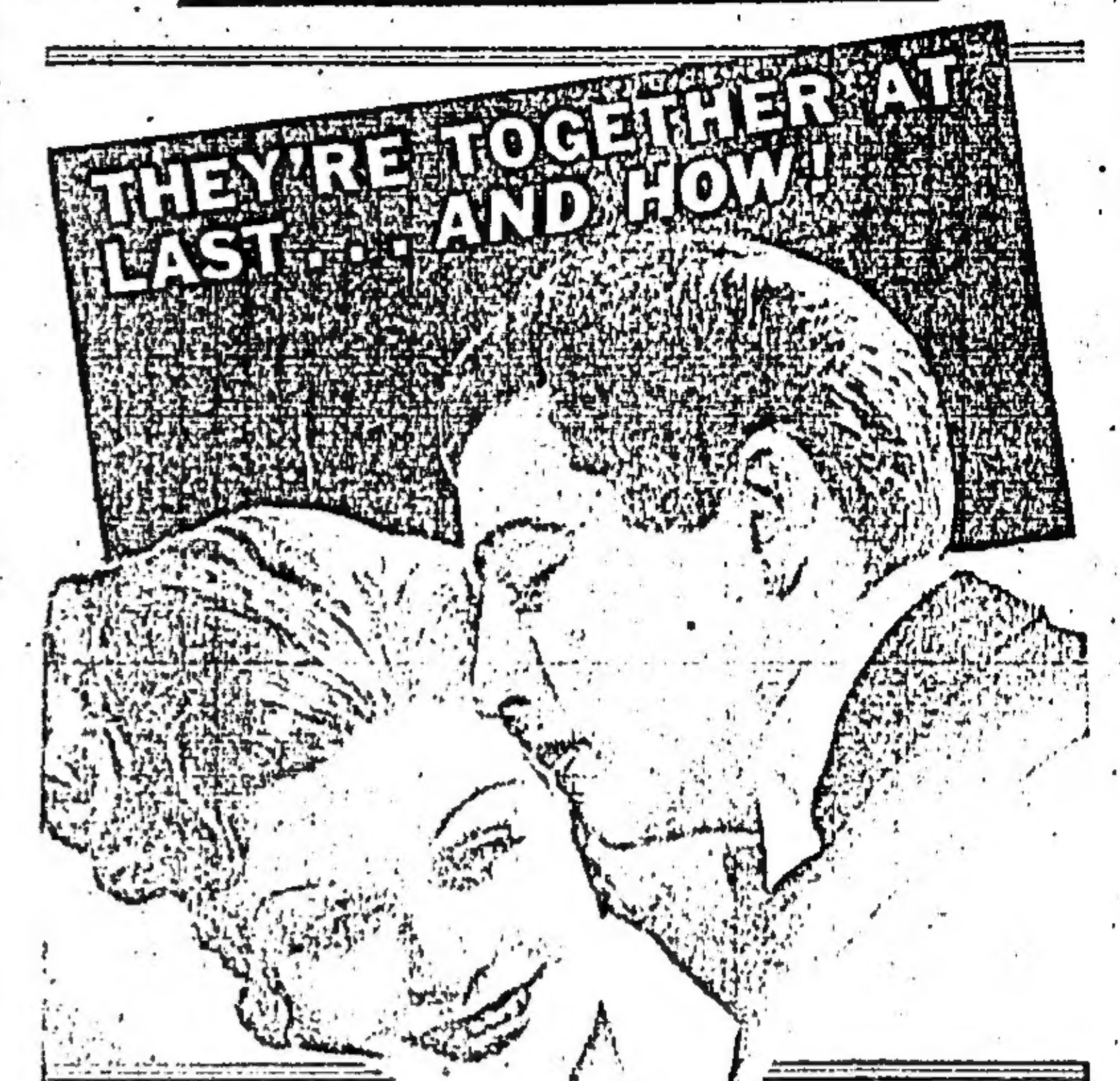
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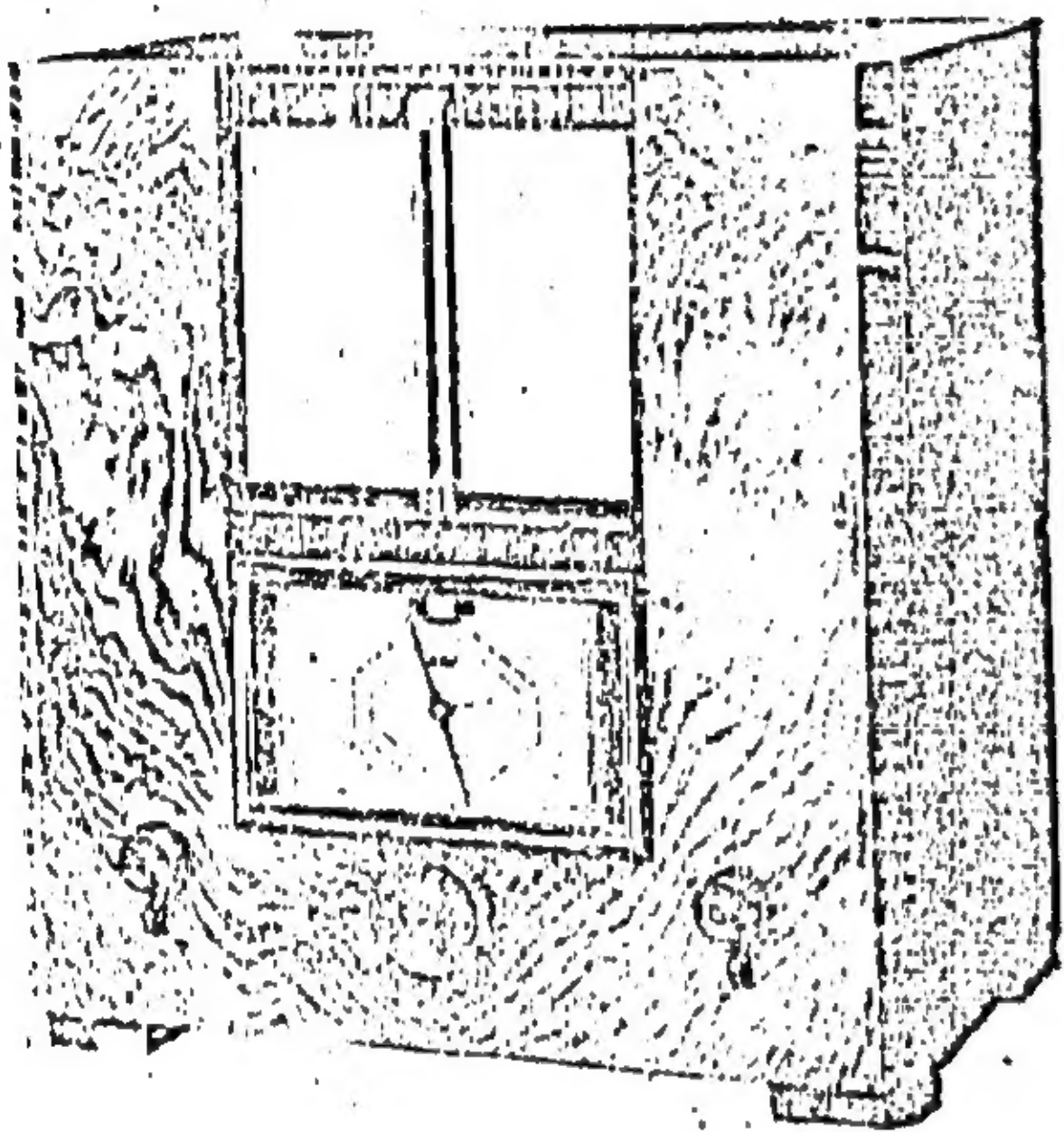
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GERMANY, ITALY  
AND SPAIN

Relief, not apprehension, marks Britain's reaction to the withdrawal of Germany and Italy from the naval patrol system, which was designed to secure international co-operation in preventing the inflow into war-torn Spain of volunteers and war material from outside sources. Although technically both Germany and Italy still remain members of the Non-Intervention Committee, for all intents and purposes they can be counted out from useful participation in its work. Seemingly, warships of both nations will still remain off the Spanish coast for the protection of German and Italian merchantmen, and complete liberty of action will be reserved to deal with any incidents which may involve their interests. The decision to back out of the patrol scheme is not surprising, as it has been abundantly clear that neither nation has been too happy under the conditions attached to participation. Following the Deutschland affair Britain and France had hoped that Germany and Italy would take no action in future incidents except by general agreement amongst the four Powers, but they had to be content with a watering down of this proposal, by which eventual retaliation was not altogether ruled out. Then came the Leipzig incident, which has still to be satisfactorily cleared up. Britain and France desired this to be the subject of full inquiry, but Germany and Italy wished to make a Four-Power naval demonstration off the coast of Valencia—not by way of actual reprisals, but in order to "show the flag" as a proof of solidarity by the patrolling Powers. It was on this point that agreement was found impossible, and which has led to withdrawal of Italy and Germany from the patrol system. The one satisfactory element in the situation is that there are to be no reprisals over the Leipzig incident. Germany says she is willing to co-operate in a "just" non-intervention scheme, but argues that the present arrangement is not preventing the inflow of volunteers or war material. But the fault for this circumstance cannot be laid

INSTEAD of this "War is Inevitable" stuff—Let's talk of Peace. Let's think of Peace. Let's work for Peace. Let's pray for Peace—"Give Peace in Our Time, O Lord!" Let's do all we can for Peace for this our England. Why?

Well, let those of us who do not know what war is think what war means—to the man in it. And—yongster of anything from seventeen to thirty-seven—this means YOU. War means:

**FEAR:** Fear of everything; fear of nothing. Fear of things seen and unseen. Fear of things tangible and intangible. Fear of dying; fear of living on.

Fear of going forward (the other side shoot you if you're not careful, or lucky). Fear of running back (your own side shoot you if you do that).

Fear of showing your fear—worst fear of all, this. It's when fear grips you that you realise what the Bible means by "My tongue clave to the roof of my mouth."

**HUNGER:** First fortnight at war: "Poor old George got killed to-day; we must write to his mother." After six months of war: "Old Jack stopped 'one to-day'—and you scramble for his haversack to see if he had any bread left."

**THIRST:** The widow Clicquot makes a good drink. Here's a better: Four men, risking their skin, typhoid, tetanus, and—what is greater than either—a court-martial, creep out to a shell-hole in No Man's Land and drink, drink, drink, from it; without bothering to scoop the slime off the top, without paying the least attention to the dead man's arm sticking up in the middle of it.

at the doors of Britain and France, at any rate. It is, indeed, obvious that both Germany and Italy, so far from being wholly disinterested in the actual outcome of the civil war, want the insurgents to win, a point made perfectly clear by the congratulatory messages sent to General Franco by Herr Hitler and Signor Mussolini. Any Power which is genuinely non-interventionist in its policy should stand totally aloof from the quarrel, and, so far as positive action is concerned, should co-operate not only in preventing further volunteers from entering the country, but also in securing the withdrawal of all foreign combatants still on Spanish soil. It is only by such a policy that the danger of involving Europe generally in the struggle can be avoided.

# Ready-reference guide to the Job No One Wants

by  
W. T. KNOTT

**ANOTHER KIND OF FEAR:** "What will happen to my missus if I get killed?" (That particular fear is with you a lot.)

**DIRT:** I'm the twenty-seventh man who has tried to have some sort of wash in this bucket of water this morning—and this is the sixth morning it's been the same bucket of water. And it's seven weeks since we had a change of underclothes."

**COLD:** Feel too cold to move, let alone to carry the rest of the body along the trench. Hands too numb to hold a rifle—let alone fire it. "Can Hell— with its everlasting fire, its warm fire, be so bad!"

**HEAT:** Lug a pack (weight 80lbs.) on your back the whole of a summer day, while you march, and march, and march. Everything is soaked. . . .

**WET:** It has rained for forty-eight hours. Our front line, our support line, is inches deep. Outside the trenches is a quagmire. Greatcoat, soaking. Tunic, soaking. Shirt, soaking. Undershirt, soaking. But if it stops raining to-night and the sun shines to-morrow things should be better. Anyway . . . stick it. . . .

**TIREDDNESS:** "Was it only the night before last that we had some sleep! . . ."

**LIES:** "The morale of the troops is excellent."

**EARLY RISING:** If you don't like getting up to catch the 8.40, how would you like getting up (from a bed on Old Mother Earth) to go over the top at 5.15?

**RATS:** They live with you; sleep with you; eat your to-morrow's rations while you sleep; gnaw your boots while you're wearing them; give you the jitters as nothing else can. Whenever you like in a war you'll find rats. If you die in a war they find you.

**TOBACCO-HUNGER:** Tuesday . . . and that's the last cigarette till they come round again on Friday.

**PAIN:** (This little piece comes from "Bayonet Training, 1916"): "The bayonet is essentially an offensive weapon—go straight at an opponent with the point threatening his throat, and deliver the point whenever an opening presents itself."

**DRAGOONING:** "Out of bed, there, you!" "Pick 'em up, there!" "Fall in there, you!" "Hill you! keep in step!" "You, there, get hold of those ammunition boxes!" It goes on like that all the time in a war: other people run your life for you.

—! It's a "smart" adjective now—for a play, a film, a book, or anything you don't quite like. It's not so smart when you yourself really are lousy. It can hurt.

**GETTING KILLED OR WOUNDED:**

I've left these to the last because they are the things that matter least in a war. If you're killed you're out of it, and don't have all the other things to suffer; and if you're wounded you're out of it, too, if you're lucky.

**MAYBE** you'll think from all this that I don't like war.

You're right, I don't. And maybe you'll think, if there was another war, I wouldn't fight again.

By gosh! you're wrong. I would—for England.

But if we think and talk Peace, and believe in Peace, instead of the "war is inevitable" line of stuff, I don't see why I—or you—should have to.

Believe me, yongster, you wouldn't like war any more than I did.

## VOLUNTARY DEFENCE of the TWO QUESTIONS FOR YOUNG MEN COLONY

- I.—Are you Trained to go to your Station in case of Attack from the Air? Or—
- II.—Would you be sent to the Cellar with the Women and Children?

### AN EMPLOYER'S APPEAL to his STAFF

Defence is in the air in Hongkong and the following appeal, circulated by a tai-pan to his staff, is opportune. Our correspondent's modest notice was that the matter could be employed in some way as a guide to other employers in presenting to their staffs the case for the Colony's Defence.

The appeal is excellent in every way, and sums up what would be the position of a young man if he were trained or if he were not. It also deals with the military situation so briefly but so cogently—especially in relation to air attack—that we have decided to print the appeal in full in the hope that it may be of real service in reducing the shortage in ranks.

**MEMBERS** of the Staff have no doubt seen the many and urgent appeals which are being made to join the Volunteers. Many of us, I am afraid, are apt to think, if, indeed, we give the matter any thought at all, that these appeals do not, for some reason, apply to us. But I suggest that it is the duty of each one of us to consider honestly whether he or she ought not to take a share, and not always to "leave it to the other fellow."

Many nations solve the problem by conscription, but in this Colony we still rely on the voluntary system to supplement our Garrison, which are woefully small for the defence of our Colony.

On the outbreak of war—which we must remember, might very easily be forced upon us by some other nation, however, Ioh Britain might be to respond—the majority of those who were fit to do so would no doubt flock to the recruiting stations or civilian organisations (as in 1914) anxious to "do their bit." But surely it is the height of folly to wait for the emergency to arise. The trained man or

woman is worth twice the untrained enthusiast, and the time for training is before, not after, the alarm sounds.

The new menace from the air and the possibility of gas attack on soldiers and civilians alike, add to the necessity for organised and widespread preparation for the defence of our country, in which men and women of nearly all ages can play useful parts, according to their time and capabilities.

For younger men there is the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps and Hongkong Naval Volunteer Forces, for men or women the St. John Ambulance Association, the last being, in need of volunteers for anti-gas service. All are sadly below strength, especially the Volunteers, whose primary role is the defence of our own island beaches.

We often hear the objection raised—"I have no military inclinations," "I don't know anything about soldiering," "I haven't time," and so on. The question of time may be a valid reason. Some of us may be so placed at home that we are genuinely unable to give the necessary time to voluntary work of this kind in addition to our jobs, and those who have only five years before returning Home are probably wise to wait before undertaking some of the more active forms of service until they have got them out of the way.

However, I appeal to those who are not tied, and who are young and fit and have no serious duties outside office hours to absorb their spare time. Will these last give their serious consideration to a matter of which they may not have realised the importance before, and see if they cannot take their place, at any rate for a time, with other "willing horses" who have decided that if Hongkong is to remain safe we must be strong enough to defend ourselves?

From his own experience I can assure any wavering staff of service of this kind, apart from its value to the Colony, brings its own reward in the discovery of new friends and interests and in the knowledge that one is doing one's job. And, if war unhappily comes, the advantage of having had some previous training is an untold one—as I can again testify.

A brief survey of other countries to-day will, I think, convince even the most optimistic and easy-going that several important nations are rapidly putting themselves into a state of thorough preparation for war (Germany, Italy, Russia, and Japan, to name four), and are training their whole populations, men, women, and even children, to play their parts. If we ignore these obvious signs we do so at our peril; the years since the last war have shown all except the wilfully blind that other nations have not followed—and will not follow—Britain's example of disarmament. The Government have at last awakened to the danger, and are taking steps to increase Hongkong's defences, but our comparatively small garrison must have the backing of citizen service behind them. And yet we see a shortage of volunteers on all sides.

In conclusion, I should like to stress that the next war may well come upon us all suddenly from the air. Each of us, therefore, might well ask himself these questions:

If this Colony were to be attacked to-morrow, should I—

(a) Go to my appointed station ready to get down to the job I am trained for?

(b) have to worry busy people to be taught to do something useful? or

(c) be told to join the old people and the children in the cellar?

If any member of the staff would like advice on the question of some kind of useful service, I shall be only too pleased to give all the help I can, and in regard to annual camp or other similar training, the firm will do their best, as far as work permits, to grant leave at the necessary date.



# Dean's Retort to Roman Catholic Archbishop

## SOUGHT TRUTH IN SPANISH TOUR

DR. HEWLETT JOHNSON, Dean of Canterbury, has replied to an attack by the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Westminster, Dr. Arthur Hinsley, on "arranged tours of part of another country" (Spain) by religious leaders.

The Dean, it will be recalled, led a mission of three Anglicans, two Roman Catholics, two Free Churchmen and two organisers on a tour of the Spanish Government war-fronts.

In a pastoral letter, Dr. Hinsley referred to the Archbishop of Canterbury's appeal for a recall to religion, and asked why "some of these leaders of religion" have been so ready to make "arranged tours of part of another country" in order to return with doubly-

strengthened bias against the martyred Church, and even clumsily to condone extreme unbelief?

"Why," he says "help to drag the Trojan Horse of Communism into our country?"

### SEEING ALL

Dr. Hewlett Johnson, in his reply, says: "If the reference is to me, I would state that my tour was made on the understanding that I should be permitted to see all I desired."

"That condition was granted, even to visiting aerodromes and front line trenches, speaking to prisoners alone, flying across the sea to the Basque provinces, motorizing through the whole of Government Spain from Toulouse, via Gerona, Barcelona, Tarragona, Tortosa, Castellon and Valencia to Madrid."

"So far from being hostile to the church of the land, I have regularly in previous journeys worshipped in its churches, and on this visit joined the worshippers in the Basque country, where the churches are full, and where the members of the Government are practising Catholics."

"It is significant that they, too, are fighting beside the Government, and as they say, for democracy."

"Our journey was made to seek the truth from personal observation. We offered to make the same investigation in General Franco's territory, if given the same facilities, namely, to see all that we desired, and subsequently to write a free report. The offer has not been accepted."

"We were recorded an instance of lying propaganda almost immediately upon our arrival in the Basque country."

"With our own eyes, and at peril to our lives, we watched the bombing of Durango."

"The church, convent and village were destroyed. There were 800 casualties, and among the 120 slain was the sister of my chauffeur. She was a nun."

"The bombing and the subsequent machine-gunning—were the work of German airmen, yet Franco's wireless attributed the destruction of the church and convent and the slaughter of the priests and nuns to the Basques. And this wireless was repeated in Berlin and Milan."

"I was able immediately to broadcast a refutation of that lie, and I was subsequently in the house where four of the German airmen were examined. I saw their cameras and their own photographs."

"Never for a moment have I condoned violence. I only try to understand and remove, in my own church as well as in their churches, the things that may occasion it."

"It is a mistake to imagine that Government Spain is by any means wholly Communist."

"It is a mistake to deny that the new forces stirring there and in Russia possess among many things we deplore, elements which seem to be Christian in origin—namely the effort to replace the profit motive by the service motive in industry; to give equal security to every citizen; and remove the barriers raised by class or race."

"Individualism and the universalism which lie behind these ideas are surely not in Christian, and indeed they are attacked in Central Europe just because they are Christian. I wish to see them grow in this land, too, and, if it please God, to win recognition here by peaceful, not violent methods."

"If we are to do this, it will depend largely upon the churches' attitude."

## CLERGYMAN STABBED IN SHIP

Copenhagen, June 16.

A Danish clergyman, the Rev. O. Hoerlyck, was sitting half asleep in the smoking-room of the steamer Parkston, bound from Esbjerg to Harwich, last night, when, it is alleged, an Arab seaman ran in, drew a dagger, and stabbed him.

Another passenger seized a bottle and smashed it over the head of the Arab, who rushed on deck and jumped overboard.

The Parkston stopped and lowered a boat, and the seaman, Ahmed Hassan, a dishevelled stoker on his way to London, who is believed to be insane, was picked up and handcuffed.

Mr. Hoerlyck underwent an operation, but, though seriously wounded, he is stated not to be in danger.

Hassan has been placed under arrest. The police say that when they tried to take his fingerprints he resisted violently, believing that he was going to be placed in the electric chair.

### British Legion

## "EX-ENEMY" TO BE DROPPED

## "WORLD PILGRIMAGE TO BATTLEFIELDS"

The British Legion, at the concluding session of their Conference at Queen's Hall decided that the word ex-enemy should cease to be used in correspondence from Headquarters, and that in its place the name of the country should be used. The Conference agreed that an effort should be made to arrange for next year an international pilgrimage to the battlefields.

The Chairman (Major F. W. C. Fetherston-Godley) said, "Let us see a world-wide pilgrimage." This suggestion was adopted with enthusiasm.

A motion regretting the action of the B.B.C. in limiting the broadcast last year, and hoping that the whole would be broadcast by the National and Empire Transmitters, was adopted.

Sir Iain Fraser, Governor of the B.B.C., assured the Conference that the whole, or an overwhelmingly large part, of the next Remembrance Day Festival at the Albert Hall would be broadcast.

"We feel," he said, "that it is one of our duties that the recollections and hopes of the War-time generation should be fully and properly represented in all our programmes."

## EGYPT CANNOT GET HER GUNS

## BRITISH ARMAMENT FIRMS TOO BUSY

## CZECHS MAKE AN OFFER

Cairo, June 10.

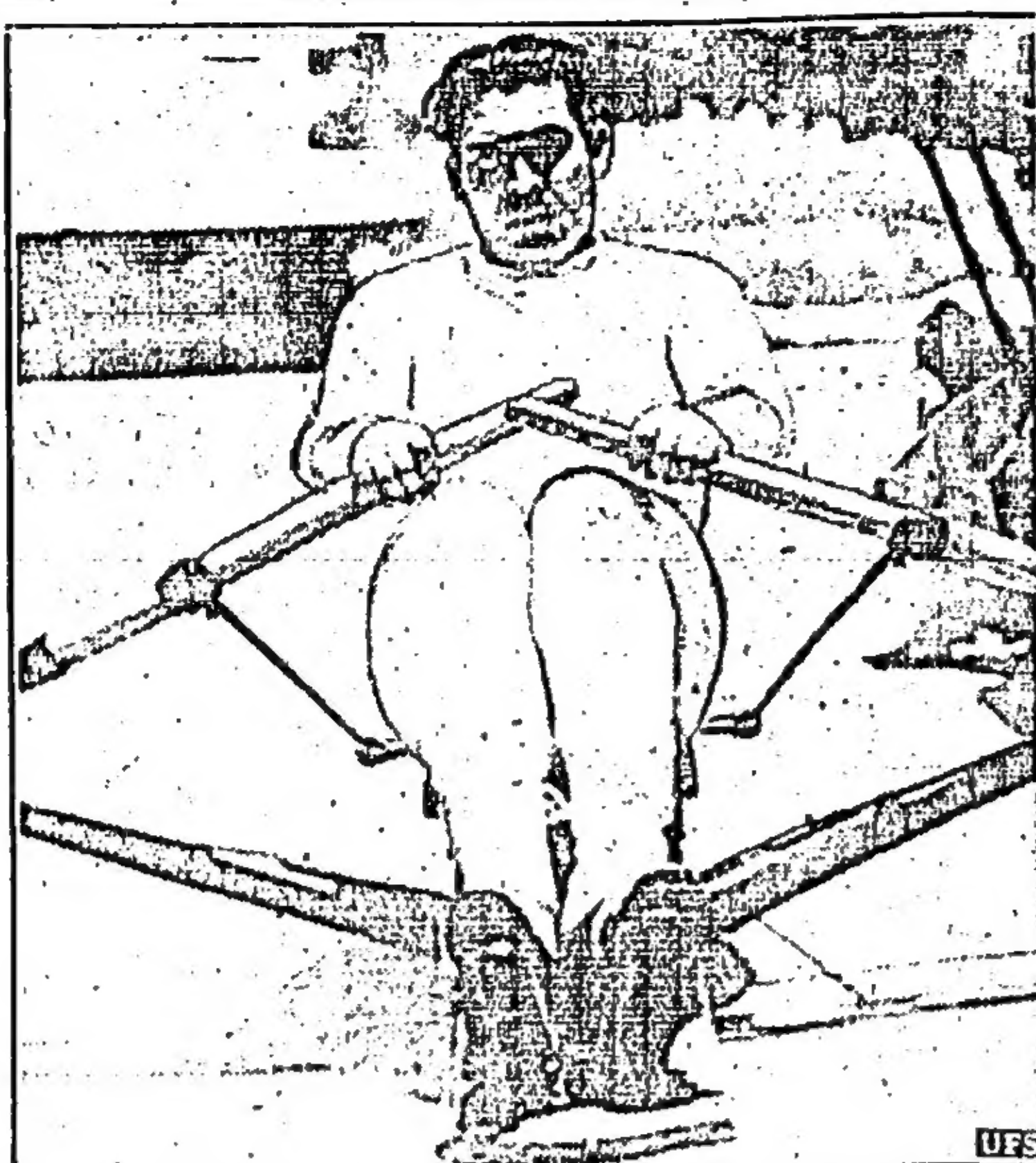
Following rumours that British armament manufacturers are unable to meet the Egyptian Government's orders and that recourse might be had to French firms, Lewa Aly Fahmy Pasha, the War Minister, stated to Press representatives last week that the Egyptian Government had no intention of purchasing their armaments elsewhere than in Britain, as had been stipulated in the Anglo-Egyptian Treaty.

He confirmed, however, that, owing to the rush of work caused by the British rearmament programme, British manufacturers were unable for the present to supply Egypt with her immediate needs.

It was therefore decided by the Egyptian War Ministry to hire field guns—three batteries of 18 pounders and three batteries of 4.5 howitzers—from the British Army in Egypt, pending the receipt of such guns from Britain.

To-day, however, it is learned that Czechoslovakian firms have made offers for the immediate sale of field guns of the same model as those used in the British Army.

It is believed the Egyptian Government has submitted these proposals to the War Office in London for advice.



**CUBA'S CHIEF** How a dictator keeps fit is here exemplified by Colonel Fulgencio Batista, Cuba's Iron Man. He is shown doing his morning exercises on a rowing machine, on the roof of his palatial home at Camp Columbia, just outside Havana. He officially is Army Chief of Staff.

## 50,000 Men Went Home Disgruntled

NOT ENOUGH FOOD: BAD CONDITIONS IN CAMP: NO MEDALS FOR MOST OF THEM

## Stories That Are "Harmful"

WHITEHALL is just discovering that some 50,000 disgruntled and disillusioned Territorial officers and men brought to London for the Coronation have gone home with reports which will do the Territorial movement untold harm. The complaints are:—

Bad food and not enough of it; Bad conditions of the camp; Allocation of the Coronation medals; Allocation of seats along the route.

The general complaint is that the Coronation plans were handled without sympathy. Hopes and imaginations were whipped up months in advance and then let down with a bump.

### BLOW TO THEIR ENTHUSIASM

Three or four months ago officers were asked what was the greatest numbers they could bring. They responded heartily.

Men approached their employers, and were given special leave. Hundreds of units were prepared to come to London 100 per cent strong.

Now number one came soon afterwards, when they were told that only representative contingents were needed—two officers and 26 men or one officer and 14 men for the route, and one officer and three men for the procession.

### NAMES DRAWN FROM A HAT

Why all the preliminary excitement? Was the question they all asked.

The men cheerfully agreed to a ballot. Names of all men with war service, and those with five years' recent service, went into a hat. The lucky ones went to London.

Then came the great medal disappointment. Ninety thousand medals were struck.

### HANDING OUT THE MEDALS

The men believed that all those attending would get one. These medals have now arrived—about three to a unit, one sent to the commanding officer by name, one for a warrant officer, and one for a private.

Commanding Officers in many cases have again ordered a resort to the ballot method.

In some cases they have awarded it to the oldest soldier.

## Scientist's Life Work

Aberdeen, June 15.

When Dr. Alexandra Adler, brilliant, thirty-five-year-old research psychologist at Harvard University, heard that her world-famed Viennese psychologist father, Professor Alfred Adler, had collapsed and died in an Aberdeen street to-day, she immediately arranged to sail from New York to carry on his work.

Dr. Alexandra Adler spends her life, as did her father, in trying to solve a multitude of human problems—problems of love, of sex, of nerves, of inferiority complex, problems of religious doubts and difficulties.

Professor Adler, founder of the science of "individual psychology," is said to have "worked himself to death." His work attracted world-wide attention during thirty years as a general practitioner in Vienna. Then he became lecturer in psychology, lectured at most of the famous universities of the world.

## RADIO BROADCAST

Gramophone Recital by The Rev. C. B. R. Sargent

CLIFFORD HUNTSMAN

Radio Programme Broadcast by Z.B.W. on wavelengths of 355 metres (845 k.c.s.), 31.40 metres (9.52 m.c.s.).

12.30 p.m. Musical Comedy.

"Princess Charming"—Selection (Waller)... Palace Theatre Orchestra; "Please Teacher"—You give me Ideas (Tunbridge)... Bobby Howes and Sepha Treble, with the London Hippodrome Orchestra; "Stand Up And Sing"—Selection (Charlie)... Ray Starita and His Band; "Home And Beauty"—Selection... Magda Neeld, Janet Lind and Webster Booth.

1 p.m. Time and Weather.

1.03 Variety.

Piano Solo—Piano Medley... Ronald Gourley; Song—Say that you will not forget... Joan Cross; Organ Solos—Love in bloom; I hate myself... Sidney Torch; Orchestra—Rumba Medley... Cubana Marimba Band; Piano Solos—Rhythm of the rain; I was lucky... Renana.

1.30 p.m. Reuter and Rugby Press; Weather, Time and Announcements.

1.40 p.m. Light Orchestral Music. Polonaise... Militaire in A Major (Chopin, arr. Ghzounov); Waltz ("The Sleeping Beauty"—Tchaikovsky)... Boston Promenade Orchestra; Neapolitan Melodies—Medley... Columbia Concert Orchestra; Entrance of the little Fauns (Pierce, arr. Moulton)... Jack Payne and his B. C. Dance Orchestra; Everybody's Song (arr. Gechi)... The London Palladium Orchestra.

2.05 p.m. Songs by Maria Olciewska (Contralto). "Samson and Delilah" (Saint-Saens)—Softly awakes my heart; Supplicious Ode (Brahms); Die Mainacht (Brahms).

2.15 p.m. Close Down.

4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme.

7 p.m. Dance Music.

7.30 p.m. The Boston Tea Party; Fox-Trot—It ain't right; Fox-Trot—Did you mean it; Waltz—Have you forgotten so soon?; Fox-Trot—Who loves you?; Fox-Trot—Foolish heart; Washington Grays; Tap Dancers' nightmare; Fox-Trot—Let me dream of Havana.

7.30 p.m. Stock Quotations and Hongkong Exchange Market.

7.35 p.m. The London Palladium Orchestra. Scenes Pittoresques—Angelus; Fetes Boheme (Massenet); Childhood Memories (arr. Somers); The Leek—Selection (arr. Middleton).

7.51 p.m. Time, Weather and Announcements.

8 p.m. From the Studio.

A Programme of French Music by Clifford Huntsman (Pianoforte).

8.30 p.m. Voices of Spring—Waltz (Strauss), played by Ferdynand Knuffman and Orchestra.

8.35 p.m. From the Studio.

Frank V. Read on Local Tennis.

8.45 p.m. Orchestral Prologue.

8.50 p.m. From the Studio.

The 21st of a second series of Gramophone Recitals by the Rev. C. B. R. Sargent, "Orpheus" (Gluck).

9.30 p.m. London—News and Announcements.

9.55 p.m. Waltzes played by Marek Weber and His Orchestra.

Tales of Autumn (Pomona). (Waldteufel); Moonlight on the Alster (Fetras); Wine, Women and Song (Strauss).

10.00 p.m. Songs by Turner Layton.

Miracles sometimes happen; Cabin on the hill-top; Pennies from heaven.

10.15 p.m. London—Red, White and News; An intimate revue, composed by Ian Grant. Book and lyrics by Ian Grant. Music by Edward Horan. Production by Frederick Pittard.

10.45 p.m. Dance Music.

Fox-Trot—Unbelievable; Fox-Trot—Drop in next time you're passing; Fox-Trot—Sing, Baby, sing; Fox-Trot—Swinging on the moon; Fox-Trot—Until to-day.

11 p.m. Close Down.

### DAVENTRY PROGRAMMES

The following wave-lengths and frequencies are used by Daventry:

Signal Frequency Wave-length

GSA 6,500 k.c. 46.20 metres

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GSI 21,840 k.c. 13.74 metres

GSI 6,110 k.c. 49.10 metres

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Transmission 1

(G.S.D., G.S.C., G.S.E.)

12.30 p.m. Big Ben, Schumann's Chamber Music—6.

1 p.m. The Strange Adventures of Mr. Penny—Episode 11.

1.15 p.m. "All in Pink" (Third Edition). Greenwich Time Signal at 2 p.m.

2 p.m. The News and Announcements.

2.25 p.m. All-England Lawn Tennis Club Championship Meeting.

Transmission 2

(G.S.D., G.S.C., G.S.E.)

6.45 p.m. Big Ben, Light Orchestral Music.

7.30 p.m. The BBC Dance Orchestra.

8 p.m. "The News at Ten."

8.30 p.m. Excelsior Musical Comedy.

9.30 p.m. The News and Announcements.

Greenwich Time Signal at 9.45 p.m.

Transmission 3

(G.S.D., G.S.C., G.S.E.)

10.15 p.m. Big Ben, Red, White, and News.

An intimate revue, composed by Ian Grant.

10.45 p.m. Music by Chopin. A Recital by Nancy Weir (Australian Pianist).

11 p.m. All-England Lawn Tennis Club Championship Meeting.

12.15 a.m. The News and Announcements.

Greenwich Time Signal at 12.30 a.m.

12.40 a.m. John Reynolds with his Orchestra.



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## U.S. COMMODITY PRICES

### LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

New York, June 24.

The following quotations on the New York commodity exchange are issued by Reuter:

### New York Cotton

July . . . . . 12.21/21

October . . . . . 12.34/34

December . . . . . 12.30/30

January . . . . . 12.33/33

March . . . . . 12.38/38

May . . . . . 12.44/44

Spot . . . . . 12.71

New York Rubber

July . . . . . 19.10 1/2

September . . . . . 19.35/35

December . . . 19.48/50

January . . . . 19.54 1/2

March . . . . . 20.00 /03

May . . . . . 20.14 /14

Sales for the day:—3,050 tons.

Chicago Wheat

July . . . . . 113 1/2/113 1/2

Sept. . . . . 114 1/4/114 1/4

Dec. . . . . 115 1/2/115 1/2

Wednesday's Sales:—

55,867,000 bushels.

Chicago Corn

July . . . . . 117 1/2/117 1/2

Sept. . . . . 103 1/2/104

Dec. . . . . 79 1/2/79 1/2

Winnipeg Wheat

July . . . . . 125 1/2/126 1/2

Oct. . . . . 121 1/2/121 1/2

Dec. . . . . 110 1/2/110 1/2



# HOW THE DERBY WAS WON BY A WOMAN OWNER FOR FIRST TIME IN HISTORY



A close-up of the horses (showing the winner) at the Mile Post

## FIRST-CLASS CRICKET AVERAGES

**J. Parks' 71.50**  
*Batting*

The following were the leading first-class cricket averages up to and including June 1:

BATTING	Qualification	Inns.	Runs	Av.
Parks, J. H.	100	16	1,154	71.50
Cook	100	13	974	74.92
Hutton	100	10	656	65.60
Hammond	100	10	656	65.60

BATTING	Qualification	Inns.	Runs	Av.
M. R. Barton	100	7	597	85.28
R. C. M. Kington	100	7	597	85.28
Mitchell, A.	100	7	597	85.28

BATTING	Qualification	Inns.	Runs	Av.
Prentice	100	6	440	73.33
Langridge, John	100	6	440	73.33
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BATTING	Qualification	Inns.	Runs	Av.
Arnold	100	5	355	71.00
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BATTING	Qualification	Inns.	Runs	Av.
Paynter	100	4	299	74.75
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BATTING	Qualification	Inns.	Runs	Av.
Berry	100	3	213	71.00
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BATTING	Qualification	Inns.	Runs	Av.
Worthington	100	2	132	66.00
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BATTING	Qualification	Inns.	Runs	Av.
Armstrong	100	1	100	100.00
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Dyson	100	1	100	100.00
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BATTING	Qualification	Inns.	Runs	Av.
Cibbons	100	1	100	100.00
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C. S. Dempster	100	1	100	100.00
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Polyak	100	1	100	100.00
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## N. Zealand Eve Of Test Victory

**BEAT NORFOLK BY  
8 WICKETS**

The New Zealanders to-day beat Norfolk by eight wickets in their last game before the first Test match which starts on Saturday.

Norfolk were dismissed in the first innings for 105, Galligan capturing five wickets for 37 runs, and their second knock produced 123.

New Zealanders replied with 122, but battled with much greater skill in the fourth innings, hitting up 107 for the loss of two wickets.

**SURVEY WINS**  
Surrey beat Oxford University by ten wickets. Oxford were sent back for 171 and 192 and Surrey countered for 171 and 192.

Gloucester 270 (Barnett 103, Hammond 80).—*Reuter*.

**KENT AGAIN BEATEN**  
Gloucester beat Kent by an innings and 31. Kent 104 (Goddard 6-67, 6-20) and 144 (Goddard 6-67, 6-20). Gloucester 270 (Barnett 103, Hammond 80).—*Reuter*.

**Also batted:** T. C. Lowry, 1; G. L. Weir, 10 and 8.

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## Mid-day Sun Beats Sansprite, Also Owned by Woman

(By CAPTAIN HEATH)

Yesterday's Coronation year Derby was well and truly won by Mid-day Sun, a 100-7 chance, ridden by Michael Beary trained by Fred Butters and owned in partnership by Mrs. G. B. Miller and her mother, Mrs. Talbot. Mrs. Nagle's Sansprite (100-1) was second a length and a half away, and at a similar distance behind there came the Aga Khan's Le Grand Duc (100-9).

A bunch of horses disputed fourth place, but in the end Perifox was officially given that berth. Others who finished almost in line with the American were Snowfall, Goya II, Le Bambino, Scarlet Plume, Solfo and Full Sail.

Their Majesties and Queen Mary, who got a grand reception from the largest crowd I can remember seeing at Epsom, witnessed a fine race, worthily won by an owner, trainer and jockey who had not previously tasted the sweets of a major Epsom success.

Mid-day Sun did not take up the running until about a quarter of a mile from home, but from that point Michael had but to keep his mount going. Sansprite strove gallantly, and so did the hard-driven Le Grand Duc, but it was all of no avail, for the winner had too much in hand and proved himself a genuine stayer.

Fairford and Renardo made the early running. Steve, drawn No. 1 on the latter, seeing to it that he got a fine start. But his mount could not go the pace of the others and Fairford, as I had anticipated was not good enough.

**SANDSPRITE'S CHALLENGE**  
One who ever held a good position was Goya II, and in the straight it was he and Perifox who looked as though they would fight out the issue, but both weakened before the storming run which Beary produced on Mid-day Sun, and even the winner was for a moment seriously threatened by Sandspite.

It was just at this so important stage that Solfo got a bump which knocked him and put him clean out of the race; but this must not be read as an attempt on my part to make excuses for a horse who was probably beaten at the time.

In short, the story of this latest Derby is contained in the tussle between first and second in the last quarter mile, the collapse of Goya II, at the same point, the bump received by Solfo and the fine effort made by Perifox when all seemed lost.

How the American horse extricated himself from difficulties, or, rather, how Pat Beasley managed it must be written down as one of the best achievements of the race.

There were many disappointments. For instance, the collapse of Fairford after he had been in front at Tattenham Corner and the partial collapse of Le Grand Duc when he had run himself into the lead.

Cash Book lost his good place going down the hill to Tattenham Corner—he did not act thereon. Le Ksar never threatened to produce that splendid dash which enabled him to win the Guineas, and his was a sluggish sort of effort throughout. I admit that he came wide into the straight, yet never did he promise to make progress thereafter.

**INGLEFIELD LAST**  
I did not see The Hour, while Gainsborough Lass let her supporters down because she never left the middle brigade.

Inglefield was last at Tattenham Corner and last at the winning post. Mrs. Miller comes from Salisbury, Wilt., and Mid-day Sun is only the third horse she has owned. She does not often go racing, but was here today and told me afterwards that once the colt got round Tattenham Corner in safety she had no anxiety.

Fred Butters backed the horse (the owner bets very rarely and only for small sums) because he worked out that the form in the Newmarket Stakes justified him in supporting his horse against those who had done so well in the Guineas—and if you look up the book so far as those two races are concerned you will realise how good a judge he was.

Major Edgecumbe, who so ably controls Tote affairs on the course, tells me that the machine takings on the Derby yesterday constituted a record single race pool for England with £41,707, the previous best being last year's Royal Hunt Cup with £40,202.

The Totallator Daily Double Pool of £8,300 yesterday was also a record, the previous best in this respect being £7,394 at Kempton Park.

## Boxer's Teeth Forced Into Palate

Many a time ringfighters have observed the gruesome spectacle of a badly hurt boxer spitting out a dislodged tooth or two. The Times of May 28 tells the reverse story of a man caught such a crushing blow that his teeth, knocked from his gums, were embedded in his palate by the force of the punch. It happened in a preliminary bout between Peter Kane and Weiss, an Austrian with a good reputation for the fancy. Two light heavyweights, Eddie Maguire, of South Africa, and Dave McCleave, had fought evenly for three rounds. In one of Maguire's rushing assaults, McCleave took a hard right to the face and then opened his mouth wide signifying an apologetic retirement. Examination in his corner showed that several teeth had been uprooted and embedded in the palate.

## SHANGHAI BOY'S ATHLETIC SUCCESS IN ENGLAND

The contention that the Shanghai Boy can hold his own in athletics against some of the best at home, is well proved by the excellent progress of Bobbie Roach, son of R. B. Roach, the well known local sportsman and former O. C. of the Armoured Car Company, bears testimony to this.

Bobbie Roach, the sixteen-year-old son of R. B. Roach, left Shanghai in April 1936 to wind up his schooling in England with the intention of going in for electrical engineering. Before leaving Shanghai he won the cup presented by Sir Allan Mossop for the best allround athlete in the school. He also won the season 1935-36, also taking the Rowing Club Cup for the school swimming championship. He was particularly noted for his ability on the track and at swimming.

Upon taking his place at Palmer School, Gray, Essex, he immediately distinguished himself, and was selected to represent his school at the Barking Abbey Championship. In this open contest to representatives of a number of schools, he won the 100 yards open championship in 11.10 seconds. As a result of this success he was asked to run in an invitation open contest at the White City, and placed third against some of the finest youngsters in the country. Only two feet separated him from the first place. Reference to his ability was made mention of by Joe Binks, the ex-holder of the British Mile Record, and well-known press-correspondent. It would seem that he has the makings of a fine athlete.

**SOCCER CAP AS WELL**  
In his own school sports, Roach won the 100 yards, 220, high jump, and long jump, and immediately secured his soccer cap for the School senior XI. At cricket he was asked to turn out for the School third team, and was asked to play in a match which he was immediately promoted to the first XI where he is considered a very useful bowler.

Regarded in Shanghai as a very promising swimmer for his age, Roach has not furthered his swimming, as he has been told to concentrate on running. He is considered a very possible champion in the short distance events, and swimming might impair his chances there.

## RACING DRIVER'S DEATH CRASH

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# TO-MORROW'S LAWN BOWLS LEAGUE FIXTURES AND SELECTED TEAMS

## CLUB DE RECREIO MEET THE CRAIGENGOWER SEVERAL IMPORTANT MATCHES

Chief interest in to-morrow's first division lawn bowls league programme is centred in the match between Craigenower and Club de Recreio at Happy Valley. Recreio are at present unbeaten, but they have experienced more than one narrow escape and it will not come as a surprise if they lose their 100 per cent. record in this match.

Kowloon Dockers, who stand second in the league table, appear to have an easier task. They visit Kowloon Cricket Club, where the game appears to be suffering a period of depression.

Here is the complete fixture list and some of the teams selected to play in the matches.

The following are the League matches down for decision to-morrow:

### FIRST DIVISION

Civil Service C.C. v. Kowloon B.C.C.  
Kowloon C.C. v. Kowloon Dock R.C.  
Craigenower C.C. v. Hongkong F.C.  
Police R.C. v. Hongkong F.C.

### SECOND DIVISION

Kowloon B.C.C. v. Kowloon C.C.  
Talcoo R.C. v. Craigenower C.C.  
Club de Recreio v. Hongkong F.C.  
Police R.C. v. Indian R.C.

### THIRD DIVISION

Kowloon F.C. v. Craigenower C.C.  
Hongkong F.C. v. Civil Service C.C.  
Yacht Club v. Kowloon Dock R.C.  
H.K. Electric R.C. v. Club de Recreio

### TEAMS SELECTED

The following players have been selected to represent the various teams in the League matches to-morrow:

### FIRST DIVISION

Civil Service C.C.—S. Eccleshall, L. R. Whant, A. W. Grimmit and J. F. McGowan (skip); R. P. Phillips, H. Strange, C. Strange and J. Hollidge (skip); P. E. Knight, J. Gellatly, J. Deakin and S. Handie (skip).

Kowloon B.C.C.—W. L. Walker, R. O. Read, J. C. Gill and C. B. Hosking (skip); S. A. Bright, J. L. Tetley, T. Armstrong and L. Guy (skip); A. S. Russell, W. Russell, E. W. Lines and G. H. Sherriff (skip).

Kowloon C.C.—W. Mulcahy, J. W. Brown, E. Kern and J. M. Jack (skip); H. Overy, J. Smith, A. E. Sillstone and E. C. Fincher (skip); Geo. Lee, T. A. Madar, R. G. Craig and P. Goodwin (skip).

Craigenower C.C.—L. C. R. Souza, M. A. R. Souza, A. E. Contes and B. W. Bradbury (skip); A. S. Gomes, A. A. Razeek, A. M. Omar and U. M. Omar (skip); L. S. Landolt, R. B. A. A. Souza, C. S. Rossetti and V. Basa (skip).

Club de Recreio.—J. A. Luz, F. X. Soares, J. E. Noronha and R. F. Marz (skip); C. F. Remedios, C. E. Marz, C. G. Silva and F. X. M. da Silva (skip); L. J. Silva, L. F. Xavier, F. V. V. Ribeiro and H. A. Alves (skip).

Police R.C.—L. Glendinning, F. E. E. Booker, G. Moss and J. Shepherd (skip); N. B. Fraser, S. R. Farlow, J. R. McWalter and A. E. Carey (skip); E. G. Post, W. Blair, W. Dall and G. Perkins (skip).

Hongkong F.C.—P. Shaw, G. Duncan, E. Tuck and A. Hyde-Lay (skip); E. S. Carter, J. Russell, N.

J. Debbington and A. Macfarlane (skip); J. S. Howell, W. Gill, F. H. W. Haynes and J. Rodger (skip).

### SECOND DIVISION

Kowloon B.C.C.—E. V. Searle, F. Morley, K. C. Hamilton and J. G. Meyer (skip); H. L. Lockhart, A. E. E. Jeffries, D. W. Waterton and W. S. Drake (skip); H. F. Stoneham, A. K. Taylor, S. M. White and J. S. Logan (skip).

Kowloon C.C.—A. A. Dand, W. T. French, A. J. Kew and L. Jack (skip); T. Hunter, A. Nissim, Dr. R. A. de Castro Basto and V. C. Labrum (skip); J. Canning, C. J. Tachell, W. W. Hirst and H. Nish (skip).

Talcoo R.C.—W. Melrose, R. Wright, W. Cunningham and R. M. Keown (skip); C. H. Summers, A. McArthur, J. C. Polson and J. C. Chalmers (skip); W. Brown, T. Grimes, J. A. Watson and T. F. Stanton (skip).

Craigenower C.C.—N. P. Karanjia, A. J. Coelho, W. J. Bagley and W. K. Way (skip); J. R. Soares, E. McNay, K. M. Omar and M. J. Medina (skip); F. W. Leonard, H. W. Randall, W. B. Whiteman and H. V. Pearce (skip).

Club de Recreio.—F. A. Machado, A. V. Barros, J. V. Ribeiro and J. J. Basto (skip); D. C. Alves, Dr. A. P. Guterres, P. A. Yvanovich and C. H. Basto (skip); F. A. Xavier, E. L. A. A. Gutierrez and A. A. Remedios (skip).

Hongkong F.C.—W. Kershaw, A. Webster, C. B. Robertson and J. A. R. P. X. Delgado, J. Pau and A. E. S. Phillips, L. E. Lammert and A. Brookbank (skip); F. P. Anslow, E. J. Edwards (skip).

Police R.C.—J. Forrest, A. J. Johnson, J. S. Riddell and W. Glenning (skip); W. McLeod, T. H. Daly, F. E. Kelly and F. Nolan (skip); H. Brown, T. Talton, A. Campbell and G. S. Alexander (skip).

Indian R.C.—M. Rumlajha, A. M. Walsh, A. C. Mudar and A. R. Dailah (skip); J. Hoosen, A. Bakar, A. K. Minu and A. R. Minu (skip); A. H. Rumlajha, A. H. Madar, M. R. Abbas and M. Y. Adal (skip).

### THIRD DIVISION

Kowloon F.C.—A. Lapsley, E. Webb, J. E. Snelley and J. Gibson (skip); J. V. White, W. Knox, J. Lindsay and R. Hall (skip); T. Ferguson, J. P. White, R. Lapsley and J. Watson (skip).

Craigenower C.C.—W. H. Penney, A. F. Noronha, C. E. Xavier, C. M. S. Alves (skip); G. Payne, J. H. Xavier, D. Rosario and Y. Abbas (skip); W. H. Atkins, S. Kerrison, E. Zimmerman and S. J. Smith (skip).

Hongkong F.C.—E. Casey, W. J. Buller, R. A. Trenrove and J. H. Gelling (skip); B. A. Mansell, H. G. Wallington, V. Walker and G. E. Stephens (skip); J. Dobson, Dr. G. I. Shaw, D. Fitches and P. Morgan (skip).

Yacht Club.—G. S. Aehbutt, D. J. Fraser, G. E. Costello, B. E. Maughan (skip); R. H. Wild, F. H. King, A. Stevenson, E. S. Abraham (skip); A. Murdoch, J. Davies, A. W. Brown, K. S. Robertson (skip).

Civil Service C.C.—J. R. Pengelly, G. F. Bentley, J. Cook and H. Westlake (skip); M. E. Purvis, J. Faro, W. R. Hillyer and M. N. Rakusen (skip); W. Cullip, J. R. Carr, L. A. Collyer and E. W. Simmonds (skip).

Kowloon T.C.—C. Mose, J. N. Wong, W. J. Howard and A. H. Basto (skip); J. L. Stephens, H. Y. Hsu, A. Spary and B. Basto (skip); Dr. Asger, T. K. Lim, H. Gittins and J. Houghton (skip).

Club de Recreio.—C. M. Silva, A. M. Xavier, M. A. Carvalho and H. A. de B. Botelho (skip); J. C. Remedios, O. P. Remedios, G. M. P. Remedios and C. Roza-Pereira (skip); A. F. Noronha, C. E. Xavier, C. M. S. Alves and J. M. S. Rosario (skip).

## IS IT A RECORD?

### Portuguese Pair Score Possible

What is probably a Hongkong record in the pairs bowls competition was registered by L. A. Gutierrez and B. Basto at Talcoo Club yesterday, when they scored a possible in their match against L. R. Whant and E. Tuck, whom they beat 24 to 21. A number of seasoned players declared that they had never heard of a possible being scored in the pairs competition.

Credit for the achievement goes to Basto, who, with his last wood, knocked off Tuck's, which was then lying first shot, with all the woods of the winners surrounding it.

This happened on the 10th end, up till when the winners were behind, at one time by five shots. As a result of the achievement they took the lead, and from then onwards never looked back.

M. E. Purvis and W. R. Hillyer defeated W. Russell and E. W. Lines 15 to 12, and R. O. Read and G. H. Sheriff lost to E. W. Simmonds and J. Deakin 17 to 25.

## NEW ZEALAND TEST CRICKETERS



New Zealand's team for the first Test match which starts to-morrow will be drawn from the above players, who are, as follows. From left, back row: W. N. Carson (Auckland), J. A. Dunning (Otago), Mr. T. C. Lowry (manager), J. Cowie (Auckland), W. A. Hadlee (Canterbury). Middle row: J. R. Lamson (Wellington), D. A. R. Moloney (Wellington), H. G. Vivian (Auckland, vice-captain), M. L. Page (Canterbury, captain), C. L. Weir (Auckland), J. L. Kerr (Canterbury), A. W. Roberts (Canterbury). Front row: M. P. Donnelly (Wellington), E. W. Tindill (Wellington), W. M. Wallace (Auckland). Inset: N. Gallichan (Manawatu), whose last-minute selection was made on the urgent recommendation of the captain, vice-captain and manager.

## THESE "AUSSIE" GIRLS ARE GOOD

### Fine Cricket Brings Victory In First Match of the Tour

By FRED DARTNELL

Gravesend: Australia beat Kent by 83 runs

London, June 3. While Mid-Day Sun was making a hot pace for the field at Epsom yesterday, the cricket daughters of Australia, scornful of the lure of the Derby, gave a good account of themselves over the Bat and Ball Course at Gravesend. In their first match of the tour they hit up 250 runs for three wickets and then declared. Their Kent rivals made a bad start, losing three wickets for 35, and, in spite of bold batting by B. Archdale and the two sisters Blaker, were dismissed for 173.

These Australian girls, as they wish us to call them play the game in a breezy spirit, and with a technical skill that makes them most attractive. Their short-pleated skirts and their stockings are the only concessions made to their sex. They wear two pads and no other form of protection when at the wicket and the local score-board, entering into the spirit of the occasion, had "batman" printed above the individual scores with the corresponding number from the card.

It was the real thing, all the time. These lassies, so gay and nimble in the field, made the fewest possible mistakes, gathering the ball with accuracy and backing each other up with admirable fidelity.

The batting was excellent and remarkable for strokes that kept the ball along the grass. Occasionally there was a high hit and then one wondered where the ladies got the power from to send the ball so far. A grand, one-handed catch, high up at mid-on, was made by Miss McLarty, who specialises in the "silly" position. It would have brought the house down at Lord's and the Gravesend spectators, curious rather than critical, cheered the catcher, who, girl-like, did not conceal her pleasure at having got rid of such a dangerous batsman as J. Blaker.

### TWO BIG STANDS

The first Australian pair put up 102 runs for the first wicket in just over the hour, before B. Blaker, off her sister's bowling, caught Peggy Antonio out for a glorious 52, which included seven 4's. Peggy is the baby of the side, very dark and petite, with a magnetic attack on the bowling, while her skill with the goosy, has earned for her the name of "The

Girl Grimmitt."

Mrs. M. Pedon, the captain, who put up 46 before being bowled by K. Dorman, the skipper of the Kent team, is also very dark and suntanned. She made good strokes on the leg side, but Dorman, who bowled a fastish left-hand, beat her by a difference in pace.

The former played for Queensland when she was 14. That was six years ago, and she is now a most accomplished right-handed wielder of the bat.

She bowls left-handed, with an exquisitely smooth action and a real command of length. She made 74 not out in an hour-and-a-half and hit seven 4's, as did her partner, who is rather a midget figure. Miss Walsh knocked up a merry 68, and the only blemishes occurred in one over from Miss Luffman when she gave two chances of being stumped with her second 42.

Molly Flaherty is the fast bowler of the side. She is tall, well built, and takes a run of 12 strides to the wicket. She clean bowled Richards and Luffman, the latter with a full-blooded yorker, and rattled out the tail-enders so successfully that she finished up with seven wickets for 33.

There was quite a good attendance after lunch. The Mayor of Gravesend, Mr. H. A. Hodge, came, accompanied by his gold chain of office and his footman in uniform. Frank Woolley was also an appreciative spectator.

**AUSTRALIA**  
M. Pedon b. K. Dorman 46  
Antonio c. B. K. Smith not out 58  
Blaker b. J. 52  
D. Pritchard not out 37  
Bowling—K. Dorman 2 for 57, J. Blaker 1 for 56.

**KENT**  
A. Cattell b. K. Dorman not out 12  
M. Richards b. M. Flaherty 0  
M. Luffman b. M. Flaherty 0  
B. Archdale b. Flaherty 12  
J. Blaker c. Flaherty 53  
B. Smith b. M. Flaherty 30  
Holmes b. M. Flaherty 26  
Bowling—M. Flaherty 7 for 33, K. Smith 2 for 34.

## DEATH CRASH RACING DRIVER'S

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not arrived in time for practice, while Freddy Dixon himself was pleading, through his counsel, at Surrey Quarter Sessions at Kingston, for the postponement until Monday of his trial on a charge of dangerous driving.

Of the total of 172 laps covered by the drivers in practice this morning, Pat Fairfield, in an E.R.A., did the fastest, covering the circuit in 3min. 2sec. at an average speed of 77.17 m.p.h.

**B. BIRA'S TWO ENTRIES**  
"B. Bira," the brilliant young Siamese driver, who is entered to drive two cars, one a French Delage and the other a British E.R.A., practised in both cars this morning.

It is considered probable that he will choose the British car for the actual race.

Another car which had not arrived was C. E. C. Martin's Martin-J.A.P. an unorthodox design of his own manufacture with four motor-cycle engines coupled together.

This was to be its first race, and the probability that it will not run moves an unknown quantity of great interest.

## ANGLO-JAPANESE PARLEY

### CHINA TO WATCH WITH INTEREST

London, June 24. Mr. Quo Tai-chi, Chinese Ambassador, interviewed to-day by Reuter about the Anglo-Japanese negotiations said, "China will naturally follow the forthcoming conversations with close attention and deep interest. I believe that readjustment of British and Japanese relations in the Far East will make easier readjustment of Chinese and Japanese relations on a basis of equality and reciprocity, which, I understand, is now desired by Japan no less than China."

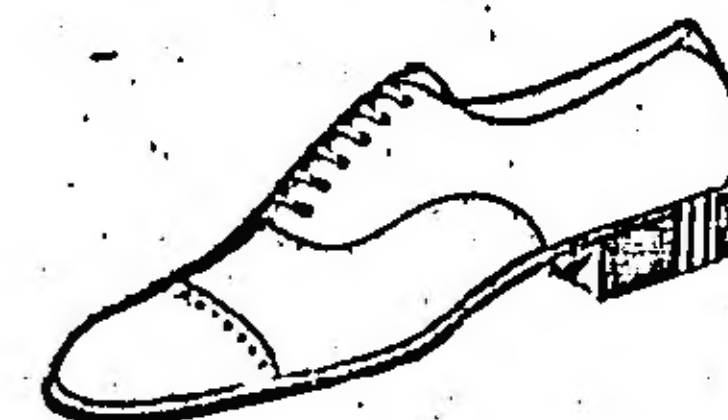
"Community of interests between China and Britain in the Far East is now well recognised. We have reason to believe that in the impending negotiations economic as well as political rights and interests of China will be given full consideration."

The newspapers do not comment. Far Eastern circles in London cordially welcome the conversations and are confident that practical results will be obtained, advantageous to all the peoples of the Far East. It is understood that official circles regard the outlook as promising and it is reported that nothing is being published during the conversations with a view to ensuring for them the best chance of success.—Reuter.

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## Friday, A Parrot Of Parts

He belonged to the genus kakotoc, a small, noisy bird, that in its native home of Central Queensland. He was brought to us one sultry Friday afternoon of September, hence the name bestowed on him. One of the stockmen, standing precariously on his heels, had a yellow in an overhanging limb of a eucalyptus tree, drawn from the late fledgling, and carried him home 20 miles in his hat as a gift for the children.

He was an ugly youngster. For some time he had to be hand fed. Bread soaked in water and rolled into soft pellets was thrust by small fingers well down his gaping pink gullet. Unless his new diet was continually replenished he kept up an incessant rasping cry accompanied by a see-sawing motion of head and wings.

He thrived and grew apace though not in beauty. Good looks were not his dower. His figure was squat and his tail too short for grace and he walked with a chinkly white relieved on the underside of his crest and at the base of his beak by slight sanguinary touches much the colour of the fruit of a blood orange. The primaries and underfeathers were a pale yellow. Around each bright and hoarse-like eye was a circle of bare purplish skin, lending him a preternaturally aged air. His beak was sharp and very strong.

He was phoned, but otherwise was given full freedom, and he roamed happily about the precincts and the white, flag-strewn verandas of the station. Instead, maintaining friendliest relations with the two kelpie dogs and keeping the household cats in their own place. He was everybody's friend. Of blunders, he never committed one and he always gave an enthusiastic welcome to visitors who made much of him. Despite the dark reputation of his species, on the whole he was not mischievous. He was a sapient bird and early learned to walk within the law. But of one vice no amount of punishment could cure him. In the garden he took no interest except in the bedding-out of young plants, and then only if he viewed the actual operation. This aroused a perfect demon of destruction within him. Too astute to make a public demonstration he bided his time, but the peep of next dawn saw him at work and every tender seedling ruthlessly uprooted. It became the custom de rigueur to extinguish him beneath an upturned flowerpot when transplanting was projected.

For a decade his life followed its even tenor. On Christmas he was plucked and his wing was forgotten and he learned to fly. His joy in his new attainment was so manifest that no one thought of condemning him to be again earthbound. From the first tentative flutterings about the house he progressed to bolder and yet bolder flights, following the children on their rides about the paddocks or vanishing alone for hours at a stretch.

Bred in captivity we feared harm for him in that sparsely wooded country or from the wild droves of his own kind, but somehow he always managed to stage a safe return. A teamster brought him back once, ignominiously enclosed in a wooden box out of which he had just gnawed his way when he arrived.

And Cobb and Co's mailman retrieved him, extremely exhausted, from a gatepost 40 miles from home. Thereafter he made a practice of meeting the coach on its weekly run, flying out to the Mail Change where the passengers lunched and fresh horses were taken on, travelling back inside.

But the red-letter day of his life was the finish-up of shearing that September when some 50 shearers, rouseabouts, and spare hands were standing outside the shed waiting to be paid off. Passing from man to man and from group to group, being enjoyed and caressed to the top of his bent, he tasted bliss indeed, and in his turn evoked no small measure of admiration, more than one man asking, as he took his pay, "This parrot ain't for sale, is 'e, Boss?"

This marked the apogee of Friday's career—and its close. What fate befell him we never learned. The quiet depths of the following night were split by an elderly screech from the tall pepper tree that for 11 years had been his roosting place. Investigation revealed no trace of tragedy, not so much as one white feather to point a trail; nor did we ever see him again.

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# LET'S DROP in on . . Budapest . .

THE Opera House in Budapest, crowded, excited. On all sides friends greeting one another loudly across the heads of others.

Uhely Janos, my neighbour in the stalls, was speaking in his surprising English.

"Of course, indeed, the so wonderful aviations. To think you were in London this day—his!"

The lights had gone down, and Uhely gave himself up to enjoyment of the Magyar opera, "Tamlasick." I found it dull and incomprehensible. When I left, in the interval, Uhely elected to come, too, saying that he was disappointed in the performance.

"I should like to see your London," he said, as he walked



"The Opera House . . crowded, excited."

through the icy streets; "but here conditions are bad."

"We are allowed to take only twenty pengos out of the country—enough to live for one day. In summer come the English here, and they are rich. Our country is poor because it was cut to pieces after the war."

Uhely Janos—we should call him Janos Uhely, but that's the Hungarian way—invited me to his club, where the gaming table seemed strangely busy for a

To-day's Thought

WE ask advice, but we mean approbation.  
—C. C. COLTON.

poor country. In an atmosphere of red plush and cigar smoke, he talked about Budapest, the famous medicinal baths, the military aerodromes that were being laid out around the city.

"Next week you would have arrived at a different landing ground. That one is being taken over by the government. The menace in Europe is great. We must do something."

Uhely's chief concern was the money he was not allowed to take out of the country. "The most we can manage is a week-end in Vienna."

## Vienna . .

FOR the next few days it snowed all the time.

No aeroplane could arrive or leave, so I went to Vienna by the Diesel-electric train which does the journey in three hours.

It hurtles across the frontier into Austria, although all other trains are stopped, and customs officials await you at the other end.

My friend Uhely came for a "week-end." I met him at the station by chance, and he joined me in my compartment. He wore a pained expression and walked apparently with difficulty.

"Have you hurt yourself?" I asked concernedly.

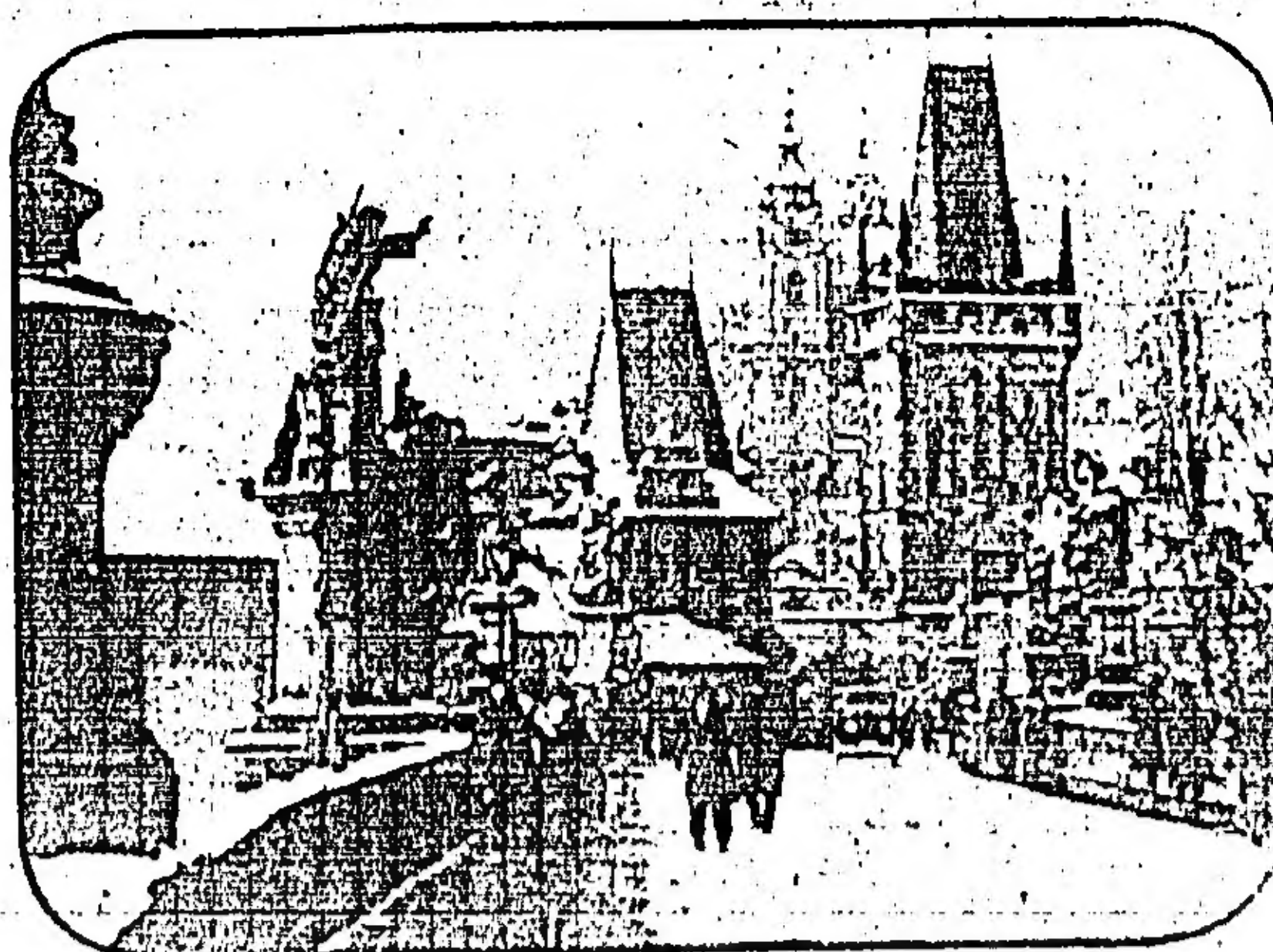
"Not yet," he answered solemnly, "but two hundreds of pengos make a shoe fit tight!"

He passed through the customs formalities with admirable nonchalance, and walked out into the streets of Vienna with his small fortune undiscovered. I saw him no more, but some days later I found a note from him at my hotel: "Gute Reise. Auf Wiedersehen. Gruss. Uhely Janos."

He must have passed a very long week-end, and I wondered how much he, or any of his compatriots, was worried by the money restrictions of the country.

Vienna, like Budapest, lay under a thick mantle of snow. Frequently I took refuge in the comfortable cafés, but living is expensive there and a cup of coffee costs 1s. 6d.

I had expected to find much excitement over the presence of the Duke of Windsor. Nothing of the sort. When, for instance, I met the brothers Johann and Karl Huber, in the Sacher, I was completely misled.



"Here, the snow was turning to slush."

"You cannot imagine how glad people are that he is back," they said.

"Who?"

"Well, Otto, of course—the monarch."

"But is he back?" I asked, astonished.

"Well, not exactly in fact, perhaps," Johann replied, "but it's only a matter of weeks at most."

And at this Karl nodded knowingly, as though he and his brother had settled it between them. They enthused about the young Habsburg for a long time, applauded his courage, bearing, obstinacy and strength.

"He takes after his mother," Karl said. "We need him here in Vienna to bring the people together. He must come back."

Not once, I noticed, did they make any reference to the Duke of Windsor, nor did anyone else with whom I spoke in Vienna. His presence near Vienna seemed to mean no more to the Viennese than the presence of Hailé Selassie in England means to the English.

## Prague . .

THE aerodrome at Prague is upon a kind of ledge in the fast sloping country, so that you arrive abruptly from a height of two thousand feet without any apparent descent.

Here the snow was turning to slush, and in the suburbs the people plodded through the dingy streets with an air of resignation. Nearer the centre of the city, though, the neon lights were glowing brightly, and the

By  
**J. Murray  
Smith**

main thoroughfares proved to be modern and pleasant.

I stayed at an astonishing hotel, the Axa—astonishing both for its democracy and its efficiency. The number of guests seemed to be small, but it was always crowded by young men and women who used it as a kind of club, and came to swim in the luxurious pool or exercise in the fine gymnasium.

It was while watching the swimmers from the restaurant level that I became aware of Karel Novak. Portly and elderly, he regarded me from the adjoining table, a glass of lager in his hand.

"They must enjoy themselves, these young people," he said, "while there is yet time."

"Time?"

"Why, yes," Novak came closer with a movement of his chair. "You are English, are you not? You do not perhaps appreciate our position. Do you know that we live in fear?"

"Fear—of what?"

"Of war, of death. You must know that we are menaced every day by Hitler. We are a small people, hated by the Germans. What shall we do? The Soviet are our friends, but they can do nothing after the event."

"Who knows? Perhaps within a year this fine new building will be bombed to destruction, and the rest of Prague also. We have to face up to the facts. We are so easily within reach—it would need only one visit from those German bombers."

## Leipzig . .

I DESCENDED upon Leipzig out of a grey mist and laid out my valuables for examination with frozen fingers. On a door in the customs house was the notice in German: "Here you may only give the greeting, 'Heil Hitler,' but it was dirty and frayed."

I met Muller in an ordinary way. He walked with a pronounced limp that must have been painful, yet he offered to carry a small handcase for me. Yes, he was out of work. Just one of a vast army.

The same thing from Schulz, his friend. The Nazis had deprived them of their jobs by driving out their Jewish employer. There was nothing they could do.

Muller, with his limp, was no good for putting into uniform, to collect for the "Winter Help" fund, even if he fancied going around the cafés and bars with a tray of tickets and a stern expression. As for Schulz, his case was hopeless. His grandfather had been a Jew.

Still, they cheered up a little and drank a glass of cheap wine with me.

"Only the munition makers and the instrument people are busy," he said bitterly. "Most of us go hungry. We live on air and one speeches."

He nodded significantly over his shoulder. Against the wall sat several strapping men in uniform, a study in young manhood—flushed by the adoration of plump and perspiring frauleins.

fallen from the walls and might have escaped, if one of the incendiaries had not wantonly made the sign of the cross with his sword by slashing through it, right and left.

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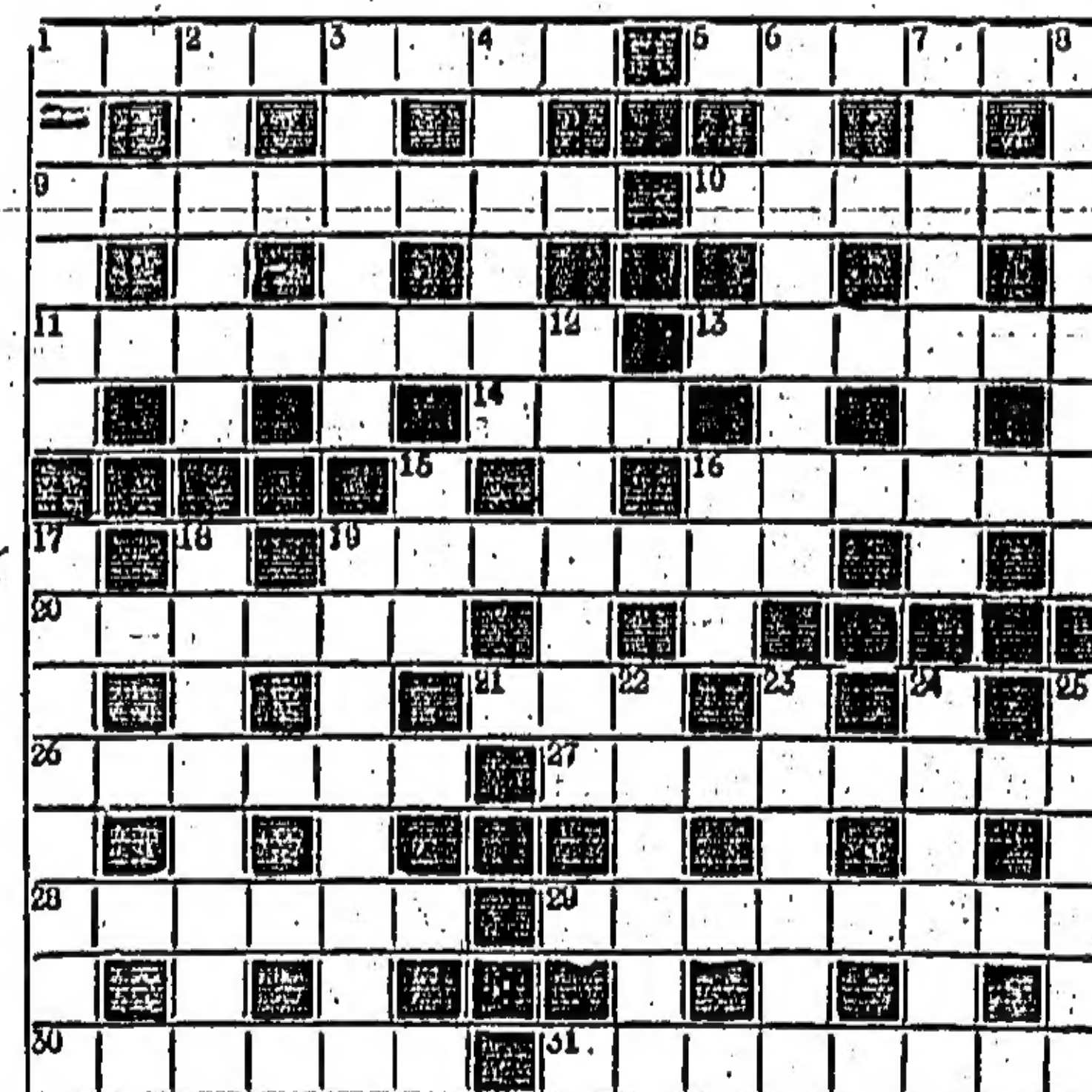
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- One trail might lead you in an eastward direction.
- One sort of expression.
- Made the flounder flounder.
- French general.
- Across in his earlier days.
- Be contrite when just about shut up.
- Welsh town that has lost its way.
- Be agreeable!
- A tidy collection of cattle for one who looks after them.
- You may kick this up without hurting anybody, but don't kick the first part.
- A beast and era might convey one way to get to U.S.A.
- Rates.
- To explore you must take a wide view.

### DOWN

- Easily, if it applies to a beating.
- A devotee with one in company; represents the Pope.
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## THE BATTLE for BILBAO—

"Newspaper" War Correspondent's 1836—1937

Account 100 Years Ago—

Strangely Similar Conditions

By

Leland Stowe

BILBAO has been besieged for the fourth time in 102 years. Two volumes written a century ago by the *Morning Post* War Correspondent attached to the army of Don Carlos, pretender to the Spanish throne, portray in a fascinating manner to what an astonishing degree history has repeated itself.

In these volumes, which I stumbled upon in the New York City Public Library, Mr. Edward Bell Stephens narrates his personal experiences and observations as a Correspondent for the *Morning Post*, during the first Carlist War, and tells with illuminating detail how he covered the second siege of Bilbao from October to December, 1835.

Then, as now, the Basque people were divided. In the siege then, however, the great majority of the Basques were among the attacking forces and fighting against the Madrid Government.

The opening sentences of the preface are startlingly applicable to contemporary events. It would be difficult to exaggerate the importance of the contest which is now carried on in Spain, he wrote. "That contest might have been, but it was not permitted to be, simply a civil war. The intermeddling of what are termed the 'free Governments' of Western Europe," he continued, "has given to the struggle a new and most consequential character. England, France, and Portugal have committed themselves to the contest, and the first has expended blood and treasure to an enormous amount. In hope of securing the ascendancy of one of the contending parties. . . . The peasants of the Basque provinces have now for four years defied the persevering exertions of the organized Government, supported as that Government has been by the

Change "Free Governments" to the "Dictatorships of Central Europe," insert "Italy, Germany, and Portugal" in place of England, France, and Portugal; reverse the role of the Basque provinces from supporting a rebel pretender to the throne to their present role as defenders of the Madrid Government—and Stephens' summary is strangely appropriate to-day.

As War Correspondent of the *Morning Post*, accredited to the Court of Don Carlos, Stephens covered the fiercest period of the Carlist uprising against the Regent Queen, Maria Christina, widow of Ferdinand VII. To-day aerial bombs and machine guns have shattered the defence of Bilbao. When Mr. Stephens covered the war the attacking Carlists proudly relied upon a new marvel of destruction, a 13-inch brass mortar, cast at nearby Ormaiztegui. "Its fire opened on the town soon after sunrise and continued without intermission until six in the evening. Sixty-eight large shells and 130 grenades were thrown during the day."

Yet Bilbao was not taken in this second Carlist siege, nor in the first

or third sieges of the Nineteenth Century.

Nor was the 1937 food blockade of Bilbao anything new to that hoary city of iron ore and stubborn humanity. Commenting on the short rations in Bilbao, Stephens chronicles, "At this period Bilbao was in a wretched state, the garrison having no meat and reduced to a quarter pound of bread, the same of biscuit, an ounce of rice and two ounces of salt cod per day."

It seems that war is war, Spaniards are Spaniards, and Basques are Basques—proud, self-respecting, fiercely loving their independence and honest to an amazing degree. Stephens wrote of the Basque troops, "They were perfectly careless of danger, wounds and death, yet docile and obedient; highly sensitive and jealous on the subjects of national honour and individual dignity; yet contentedly bearing privations of clothing, lodging, pay or diet which would make British troops fretful, insubordinate, pestiferous and useless. I have never heard them grumbling and I never saw a drunken quarrelsome man amongst them. I left my knapsack, my portfolio, my clock, telescope, pocket flask, etc., in any hut or magazine that I found most convenient and nobody meddled with a single article. . . . In the pauses of war all were gay as larks; chatting, joking, card playing or singing a la gloria."

The wanton destruction of art treasures went on then as it does now. "On the 14th of August, 1834, a party of Urbanos from the adjoining town of Elbur, arriving at Ercun, plundered and then set fire to the palace and five other houses, also the property of the Marquis de Valdespina. A collection of paintings (perhaps the most valuable possessed by a subject in Spain), including some chef-d'oeuvres of Titian, Murillo and one precious bijou, 'La Picta' by Raphael, were all consumed or destroyed by the Christians. I saw the remains of one, 'The Descent from the Cross,' by Titian, which in the general confusion had







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## MODERN SOCIAL PROBLEMS

### Assembly Attack on Drink and Gambling

### NEW STOCKS AND SHARES POOLS

Social problems were keenly discussed at the recent session of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland. Commenting on Britain's drink bill, the Rev. J. M'Intosh Dawson said that the popularity of the milk bar might do for this generation what tea-rooms did for the last.

Methylated spirits drinking was described as "unspeakable degradation," but the Assembly was reminded that it was only a "restricted manifestation of the drink evil."

Football pools were attacked by the Rev. Archibald Chisholm. He also referred to the new stock and share forecast pools, which, he said, were made in an attempt to "give people a respectable substitute for football pool betting."

The Moderator, the Right Rev. Dugald Macfarlane, presided at the opening, and the occupants of the Throno Gallery included the Lord High Commissioner, Lady Kinnaird, and Lord Nigel Douglas Hamilton.

The Moderator reported on the Assembly's work since the last meeting. He said that the Assembly had been in a lethargic mood, and little in the way of applause or dissent was evidenced in the remarks of the early speakers.

The Moderator reported on the Churches and Universities (Scotland) Widows' and Orphans' Fund and on the work of the Committee on Temperance.

#### INCREASED DRUNKENNESS

Speaking on the latter subject, the Rev. J. M'Intosh Dawson, Glasgow, commented on the decided increase in the amount of money spent in this country on strong drink and the increase in drunkenness and attendant crime.

The Committee, he continued, rejoiced in the passing of the new Bill suppressing the sale of methylated spirits. The Committee had received a letter from Miss Forsyth thanking that body for its assistance. Methylated spirits drinking was an unspeakable degrading thing, but they must remember it was a very restricted manifestation of the drink evil.

The Rev. Mr. Dawson deplored the increase in Sunday drinking, mainly among motorists. This was disquieting in view of medical opinion on the serious effects of even a small quantity of alcohol on drivers.

The popularity of the milk bar might do for this generation what tea-rooms did for the last. The national fitness campaign was bound to help, and opinion was strengthening among medical men, football trainers, and leading sportsmen that alcohol was an enemy of those who desired to keep fit.

Dr. G. F. Burbour, Bunsick, seconded the adoption of the deliverance, and the Very Rev. Dr. Macfarlane made an eloquent appeal for the Assembly's approval and support for the Committee's work. The deliverance was accepted unanimously.

#### FOOTBALL POOLS ATTACKED

By the time the Rev. Archibald Chisholm, Glasgow, rose to present the report of the Church and Nation Committee, about an hour after the start of the proceedings, the attend-

#### SEES AGAIN AFTER 26 YEARS

#### Remarkable Recovery

Cardiff, June 5.  
GWILYM JOHN, of Tonyrefrail, lost his eyesight in a colliery explosion 26 years ago and had been totally blind ever since until his sight was suddenly restored to him a few days ago.

Attention was called to the man at a meeting of the Blind Persons Committee at the Glamorgan County Hall to-day. Alderman Sydney Cadogan said that for years the man had been employed as a brushmaker at the Rhondda Blind Institute. He was provided with treatment at the Llywypia Hospital, and Mr. Bernard Gluck had operated on him, with the result that now he had a considerable degree of vision in his right eye.

One day after the operation, said Alderman Cadogan, John went to a conference with his wife. During the conference the faces of his boots became untied and he bent down to tie them up again. He was surprised to find that he could see the faces, and when he got up he saw his wife for the first time since he had married her. Rejoicing, they both hurried home to see their children, whom the man had never seen before.

"It is a most remarkable recovery of this man's sight," said Dr. Cadogan Williams, the County Medical Officer.

Councillor Rogers, of Tonyrefrail, said that though the man had been blind for so many years he had been active in social work in the district where he lived, and he had now been elected a member of the district council.

The committee decided to provide the man with suitable glasses and recommended that he should be employed as a journeyman.

nees had grown to be one of the largest since the crowded opening sessions. It was learned that many fathers and brethren had made special arrangements to return to the Assembly specially for this debate.

With keen attention the new crowd of Assembly listened to Dr. Chisholm who, in his opening sentences, attacked the growing popularity of football pools.

"Some people," he said, "might think it is more respectable to place their money on United Mollasses for a rise than on Dundee United for a win." (Laughter.)

Last year the Church did its best to bring the Government to deal with football pools legislation, he said. Nothing had been done, however, and the matter was as serious as ever. Now they found something of a similar nature beginning to become popular. This new method of betting was based exactly on the principal of football betting. Instead of ten matches to forecast home or away, however, they were given twenty-four shares to forecast whether they rise or fall within a certain period.

These stock and share forecast pools were made in an attempt to give the people a respectable substitute for football pool betting.

#### "WHAT IS WRONG?"

Dr. Chisholm said that they were planning to spend on armaments in approaching years four times the amount annually expended before the war. Such an expenditure could not suddenly be diminished without serious consequences.

"What is wrong in our modern world?" asked Dr. Chisholm. "Some would say that there was not enough money to go round, others not enough work, but what was wrong was that there were not enough Christians to go round."

"We are engaged in a life-and-death struggle between the spirit of the age and the faith of the Church," he remarked. "There would not be so much private bitterness and secret cynicism if they were prepared to obey the Divine law; distrust between classes and suspicion between nations would vanish if they were to become loyal to Him who was Governor among the Nations."

The Rev. J. M'Intosh, Stirling, in seconding, stressed the great need for guarding the sanctity of the Sabbath.

#### RAFFLE TICKETS

The Rev. W. B. Gladstone Miller, Arbroath, said that it was formerly said that drink was the curse of Scotland. The curse of Scotland was now gambling.

Gambling, he said, took place in the church hall where youths were commissioned by ministers, or someone representing them, to go and tout raffle tickets.

"This Assembly does no great service to the cause when it passes resolutions about 'bucket-shops' and forgets the fact that the Church has no right to speak until its hands are clean," he declared, and applause.

#### EDINBURGH MAGISTRATES CRITICISED

A strong criticism of the Magistrates of Edinburgh in granting public-house licences in new housing areas was made by Dr. R. A. Reid, Leith. When these new housing areas first came into being, he said, the ministers travelled from the new area into the town and went back in a condition far from desirable.

"But," said Dr. Reid, "in recent months the numbers so doing have noticeably decreased, and one could now travel in a bus from the centre of Leith to the new area without being disturbed by people who were not in a fit state to be in a bus." Dr. Reid said he regarded the decision of the Magistrates in granting these licences as a great mistake.

#### THE "MEANS TEST"

Among the amendments to the deliverance was one by the Rev. John M. Munro, Falkirk. He moved deletion of the words, "The General Assembly gratefully acknowledge the beneficial effects of recent Unemployment Insurance regulations in diminishing more burdensome results of the Means Test," and substitution of, "The General Assembly condemn the Means Test."

He said that in his opinion the Unemployment Insurance regulations were doing a great deal to destroy and split up the family life.

In the Falkirk district at the present time, he said, they had an industrial boom. The reason for that, of course, was that there was not merely a boom in housing, but a boom in munitions in preparation for war. (Laughter.)

Mr. Munro—Most certainly there is an increase in the manufacture of munitions and armaments there. The amendment was defeated.



The Chief Minister of Burma and his wife are among the visitors to London who are remaining after the Coronation. The couple created quite a lot of interest as they appeared in the streets of the metropolis.

## TRAVELS WORLD SANS PASSPORT

Asheville, North

Caroline, June 15.

A CHINESE-BORN art shop owner here, the wife of a Wisconsin judge's son, has travelled through 20 foreign countries without a passport and returned this spring after her 14th trip abroad—a 26,000-mile journey, including 10,000 miles by airplane.

Mrs. Elsie Chung Lyon travels without a passport because, she says, no nation will issue one to her. An affidavit of identity serves as her passport, and she went unquestioned on her most recent globe-girdling journey in 20 foreign countries, "excepting one. The exception was Iraq, where for the lack of a visa she and her woman companion were fined 14 shillings."

Mrs. Lyon boarded airmail planes at Shanghai en route to London. She spent 85 hours in the air between the two cities, but stopped three days in India, three in different parts of continental Europe and three more days in London.

#### WEIGHT LIMIT 185 POUNDS

"Travelling by mail plane was just as if we were two packages," she told interviewers. "We had to be weighed, just as packages. Each of us was weighed to weigh 185 pounds including luggage. When we reached our destination we were taken care of just as the packages of mail."

Notwithstanding the formalities and the requirements that her luggage weigh not more than 35 pounds, Mrs. Lyon found the trip interesting. It was a combination business and pleasure jaunt, with great emphasis given to gathering art objects.

A student of art, she found China and Greece countries of greatest interest to her. She regrets the Chinese are known for their laundries, the Greeks because so many of their countrymen operate restaurants. In her opinion, world conditions in the Far East would become more tranquil if China and Japan would join hands.

"I don't think Japan will do China a great deal of harm," she said in an interview. "China's attitude, on the other hand, is not to fight unless forced to it. The country is preparing to fight if necessary, however."

#### FINDS GERMANY TENSE

The German people are tense, she said.

Mrs. Lyon before her marriage was one of China's first trained nurses. She was graduated from Guy's hospital in London, and in China trained young students to become nurses. Her translation of text books for nurses made from English to Chinese, are among the first, and copies are preserved in the Congressional Library.

The Lyons live at Daytona Beach, Fla., and spend their summers in New England. She is a familiar character to residents of this town, frequently visiting her shop here and coming here after trips abroad or buying excursions.—United Press.

## Lawsuit To Stop Woman Disrobing

Perth, June 12.

A suggestion that a "camouflaged" photograph had been produced as evidence was made by a witness when the hearing was resumed here to-day of an application by Miss Nora Wood of Keithwick, Coupar Angus, for an injunction against Mrs. Lizzie Barnett, of Coupar Angus, restraining her from undressing or dressing on the banks of the River Isla; bathing in the river at a point known as Buttery Bank, and trespassing.

Title deeds dating back to 1802 and 17th-century plans were in court to-day, although not produced.

The defence is the lands in dispute are public rights of way. The hearing was adjourned.

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The new ship is being constructed

by the Netherlands Shipbuilding Company at Amsterdam. She will be fitted with a Selen-Hesselman motor of 6,000 horse-power giving her a service speed of about 15 knots.

Her dimensions will be:—Length 474 feet ten inches, breadth moulded 64 feet six inches, depth to upper deck 30 feet six inches, draft 28 feet nine inches, loading capacity 9,930 tons.

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## Summer Milk Drinks

### SUMMER MILK DRINKS

A GLASS of milk by itself is not always palatable to everyone. Some think that it is an insipid drink, others that milk-drinking shows a childish taste. By the addition of a coloured flavouring you at once meet both objections. In this way the milk drink acquires a distinctive flavour and an attractive colour. In short the milk is "dis-coloured," yet its food value still remains.

#### Banana Milk Fluff

Two-thirds cup mashed banana. Three tablespoons orange juice. Three tablespoons honey or syrup. One-eighth teaspoon almond extract. Few grains salt; two cups milk. Mix ingredients well and beat with egg beater. Garnish with nutmeg.

#### Strawberry Milk Shake

One-third cup crushed strawberries. Two tablespoons sugar. Few grains salt; one and a half cup milk. Combine ingredients and beat with an egg beater. Chill and serve, garnished with whipped cream.

#### Grape Milk Blossom

Half cup grape juice. Half teaspoon lemon juice. One in two tablespoons sugar. One cup milk. Combine ingredients and beat with an egg beater. Serve ice cold.

# Nail yourself down

to half an hour a week and five minutes a day—looking after your finger-tips

YOU should put aside at only use a file for the final shape—least half an hour every ing-off. One thing you must be particularly careful to avoid doing is to take you about five minutes a day to scrape round underneath your nail. The skin underneath is groomed and shapely. First job of the weekly half-hour is to press back the pieces of skin which grow up from the base of the nail. Do this with going by spending a few minutes one of those little steel, claw-on them every day. When you like instruments, starting at the are washing your hands, bury top corner of the nail and work your fingers in a soapy sponge ing down round it. After that and squeeze them in and out. soak your hands for as long as Rinse them with tepid water. you can in warm soapy water. Then run round the cuticle with Dry your hands and take off the an orange stick wrapped in cotton wool, and rub in a little light cream, which will keep out the Cut them first with scissors; dirt.

After varnishing your nails, rub a greasy cream round the cuticles.



File lightly, without pressing on the nails.



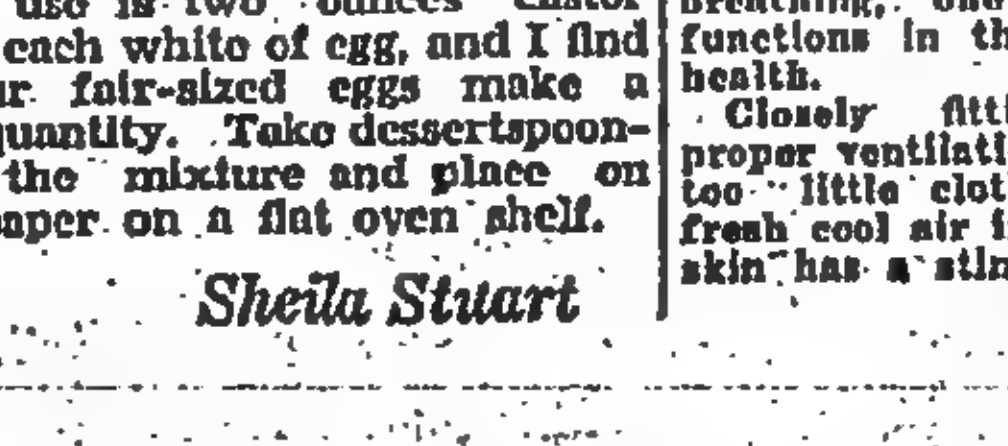
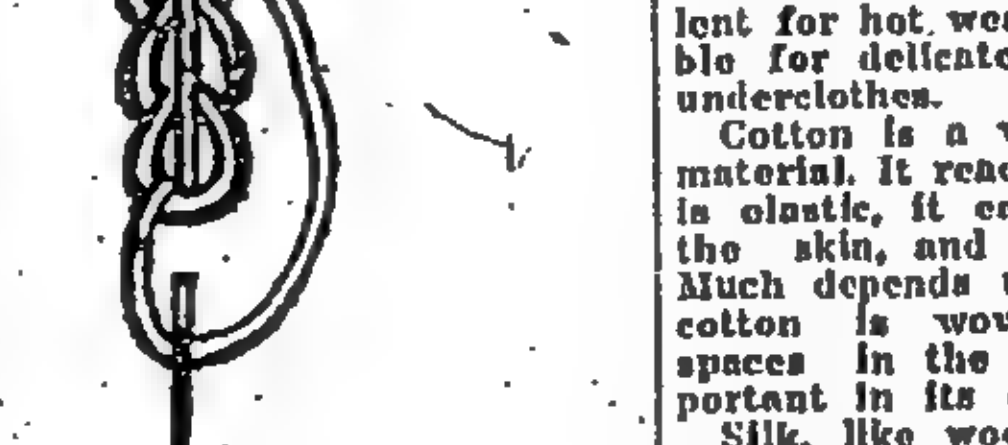
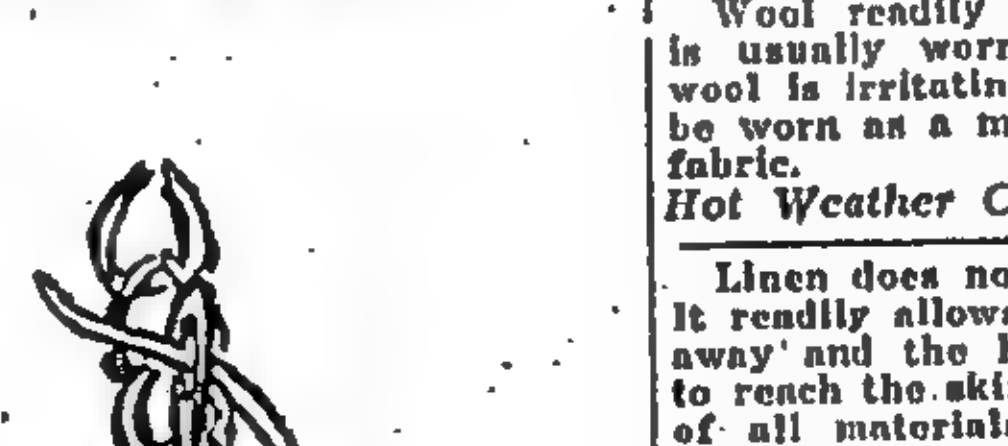
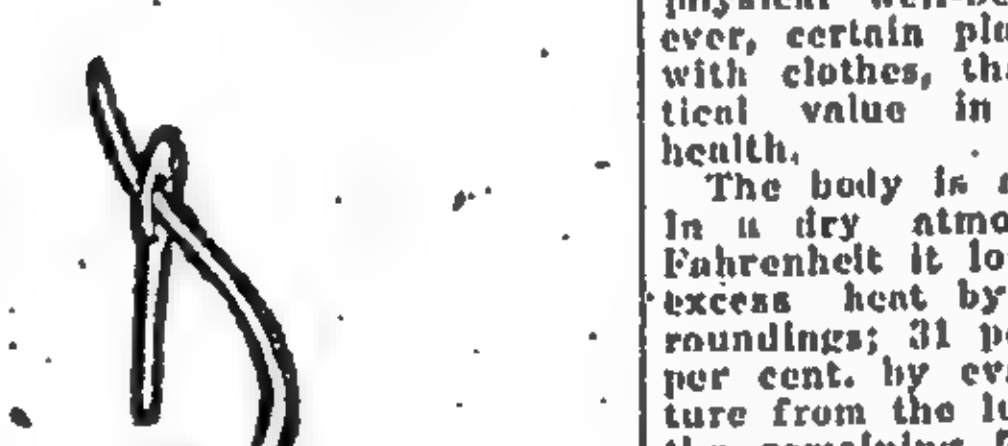
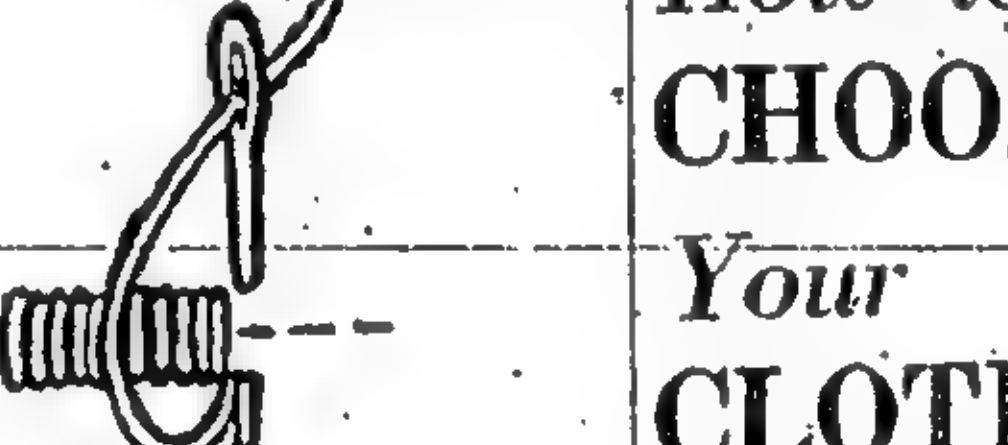
(a) Don't cut your nails down at the sides; (b) don't scrape round them; (c) nail as it should be.



Clean your nails with a sponge.



Run round the cuticle with an orange stick wrapped in cotton-wool.



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It's Still Not Too Late To Work these

# TABLE MATS as a MEMENTO

THESE Coronation dinner table mats should be worked in red, blue, and yellow mercerised cotton on a white linen ground. This is how you make them.

First cut out the mats 13ins. square, carefully following the threads of the material. Next draw the threads 13ins. inside, turn and tack hems. Hemstitch the first row with blue and the return row with red.

### Start with the Crown

The crown should be worked in yellow, a tiny satin stitch being used for the crosses and chain stitch for the outline (small diagrams on the right show you how to do these stitches)

Do the jewels in cut work. First work round the circle with tiny running stitches, cut a small hole in the centre, and continue working round the circle in satin stitch; work the very small ones in the same way, but without cutting the hole.

### Follow these Colours

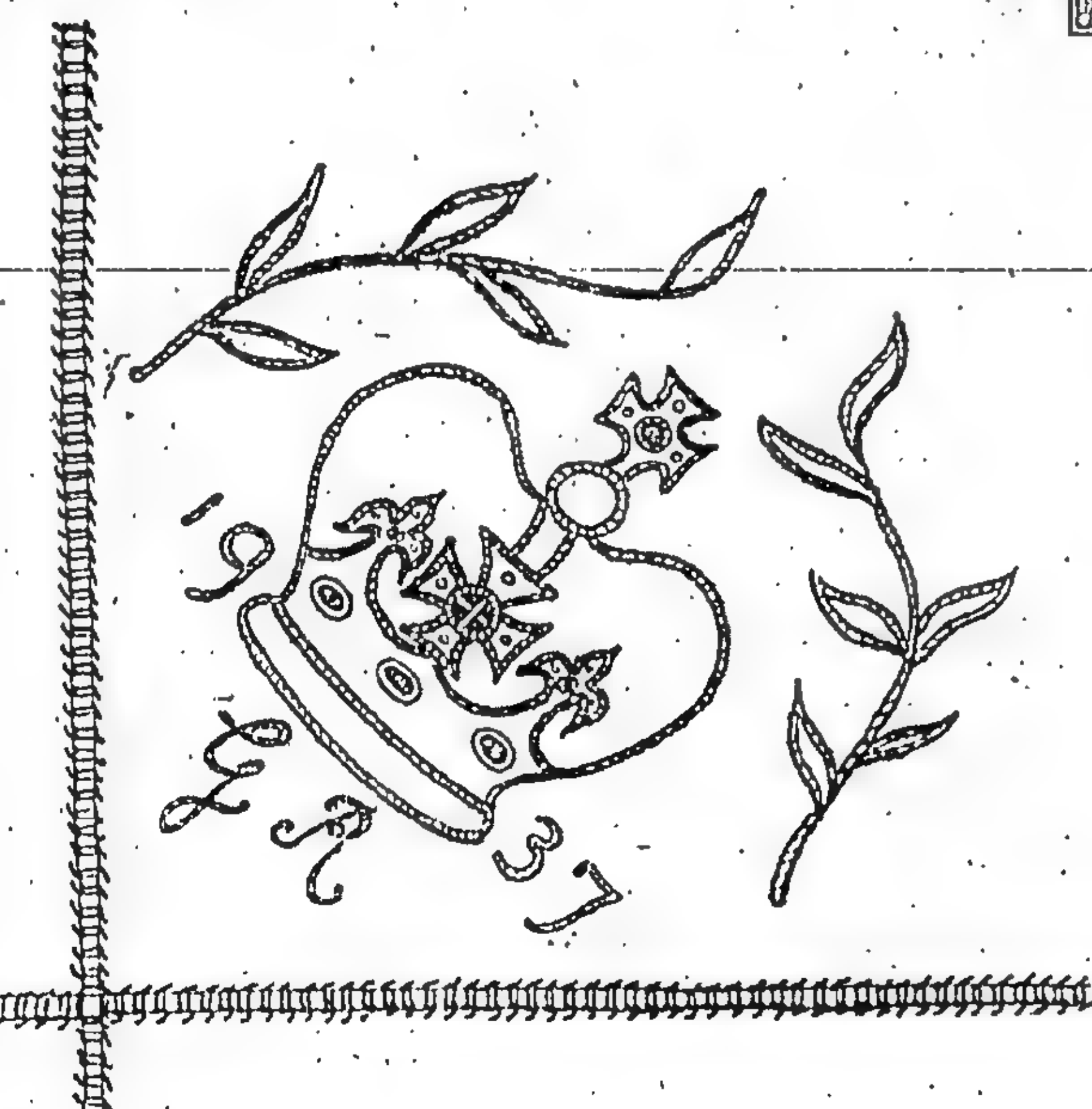
The centre jewel in the main cross should be worked in red, making a cross stitch in red in the centre of it, four tiny blue jewels surrounding it. Blue for the centre stones on either side, three tiny red ones round these; underneath this a blue stone in the centre, red on either side.

In the cross at the top of the centre and three tiny red surrounding it. The sprays and lettering should be worked in stem stitch, blue for the stalks and date, the leaves and G.R. in red.

### Trace the Design

To transfer the design to material take a piece of tracing paper (kitchen grease-proof paper will do) and trace the design on this. Turn it over and scribble all over, the back with a soft pencil till the paper is black.

Now turn once more, pin right side uppermost in position required on material, and again trace over the outline of the design.



## RECIPES RESULTING FROM A FOUR AT BRIDGE

OFFICIALLY the afternoon started as a "bridge four," but after a sequence of uninteresting hands a friend of our hostess's rang up to give her a new recipe for chicken stuffing.

That did it. Collapse of the bridge, and instead a discussion on cookery. First of all there was the stuffing.

Take half a pound of smoked ham, not too fat, and put it through the mincer, then place in a bowl with two tablespoons breadcrumbs. Cut off the whites of two good-sized loaves, wash very well, and chop finely. Add to other ingredients, season, and also add about a tablespoonful of butter, which should be rubbed through the breadcrumbs.

### Hors-d'œuvre

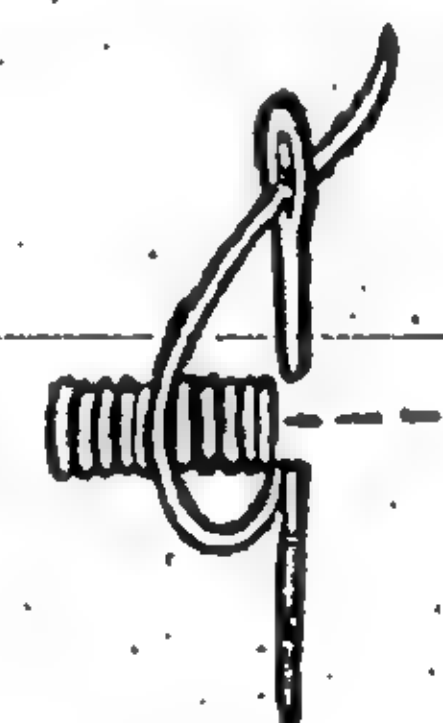
The next recipe came from one of our number who specialises in hors-d'œuvre. Tear up the heart of the lettuce into very small pieces and arrange a layer in grapefruit glasses.

Now add a layer of shrimps, another of lettuce, and one more of shrimps. Don't have the glasses too full, as the pink sauce still has to be poured over. You make it like this: Into a small bowl pour a little mayonnaise dressing, and with a small wooden spoon mix in a little cream and a spot of tomato ketchup, just enough to colour it through.

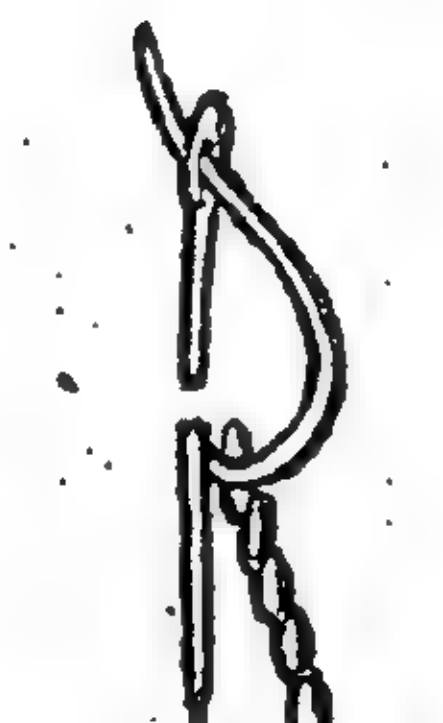
### Meringues

After this we talked about meringues, and we agreed that they are not nearly so hard to make as they sound. But the average cookery book does not stress sufficiently the two danger-points: the heat of the oven and the adding of the sugar. Meringues need a cool oven. One in which a cake has just been baked will be about right if the heat is allowed to decrease rather than increase.

The other secret is the adding of the sugar. Beat up the whites till they are so stiff that you can cut them with a knife, then add the su-



Satin Stitch



Stem Stitch



Chain Stitch

## How to CHOOSE Your CLOTHES

THE importance of clothing in the maintenance of health does not always receive the consideration which it deserves. Everyone is aware of the psychological effect of clothes. To be suitably dressed for every occasion gives confidence and satisfaction and this, in turn, reacts favourably upon the physical well-being. There are, however, certain plain facts in connection with clothes, that have a direct practical value in the preservation of health.

The body is always giving off heat. In a dry atmosphere of 60 degrees Fahrenheit it loses 44 per cent. of its excess heat by radiation to the surroundings; 31 per cent. to the air; 20 per cent. by evaporation of the moisture from the lungs and the skin; and the remaining 5 per cent. is used in warming food and inhaled air to body temperature.

Now the purpose of clothes from the point of view of hygiene is protective: they should retain the body heat in cold weather and let it out in hot weather. It is obvious, therefore, that a little special knowledge regarding the materials used for clothing will prove extremely useful when choosing what to wear.

Wool readily absorbs moisture and is usually worn as underclothing. If wool is irritating to the skin it should be worn as a mixture with some other fabric.

### Hot Weather Clothes

Linen does not absorb moisture well. It readily allows the body heat to pass away and the heat of the atmosphere to reach the skin. It is the least warm of all materials, and therefore excellent for hot weather. It is not advisable for delicate people to wear linen underclothes.

Cotton is a very important clothing material. It readily absorbs moisture, it is elastic, it easily admits the air to the skin, and allows of evaporation. Much depends upon the way in which cotton is woven, however. The spaces in the structure being all-important in its qualities as a material. Silk, like wool, is a bad conductor, and retains the heat of the body. Again much depends upon the closeness of the weaving or the amount of air contained by the material. Closely woven silk, smooth to the touch, feels cooler than cotton or wool.

The ideal to aim at is lightness and looseness. There should not be too much weight on the shoulders and chest, and one must be able fully to expand the chest so as not to hamper breathing, one of the most important functions in the maintenance of good health. Closely fitting garments obstruct proper ventilation of the skin. Though too little clothing may be harmful, fresh cool air in close contact with the skin has a stimulating effect.

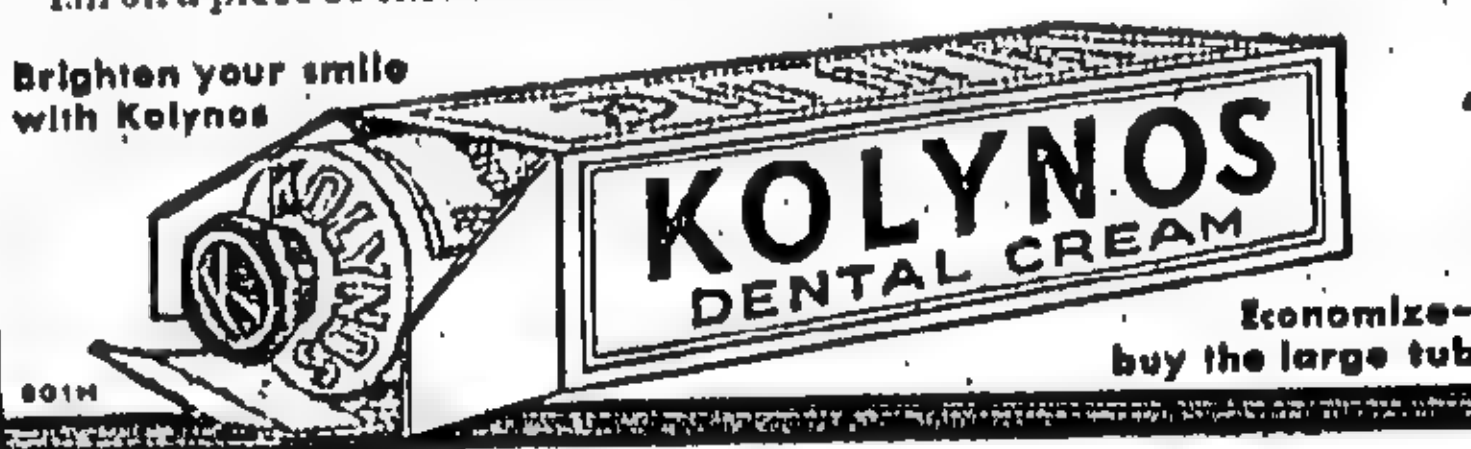
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# Secret Shell Discovery Will Make Enemy Tanks Useless

## Great Radio City for Britain

BROADCASTING HOUSE, LONDON, IS TO BE CONVERTED INTO A "GREAT RADIO CITY," TWICE ITS PRESENT SIZE, AT A COST OF NEARLY £2,000,000.

Architects are now engaged in preparing the plans of the new building.

The City will be built on a site adjoining the present Broadcasting House in Portland-place, London.

Colonel G. Val Myer, who designed the present B.B.C. building, is the architect.

Demolition of the private houses which now stand on the site will be begun this autumn.

### UNDERGROUND STUDIOS

The new building will externally be a replica of the Broadcasting House that we know. It will be opened two or three years hence, and together with the present one will form the radio city.

The interior of Broadcasting House No. 2 will, however, be on entirely new lines.

Instead of a central tower of studios, running from the basement to the top floor, there will be a well, around which offices floor level.

Studios will be on three underground floors.

Under the new charter the B.B.C. will be permitted to borrow up to £1,000,000, and it is reported that there will be a building loan for half that amount. The cost of the new building, therefore, will make no inroad into the revenue from licences.

## SACRAMENT FOR THE DIVORCED

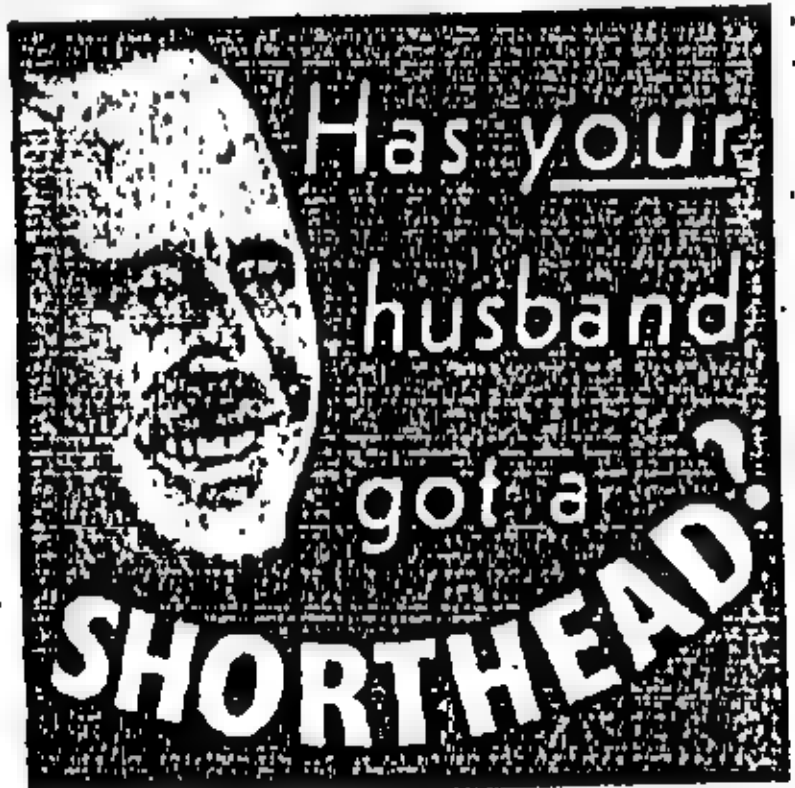
THE Archbishop of Canterbury made a statement on the Church's attitude to people who had remarried after divorce before the Upper House of the Convocation of Canterbury this month.

The Bishop of St. Albans (Dr. Michael Furse) had presented a petition on resolutions passed in the Upper House with regard to the admission, during the lifetime of their former partners, of divorced and remarried persons to the Sacraments of the Church.

The Primate spoke of misconceptions raised by the causes and scope of the resolutions passed at the last meeting of Convocation.

It was not the case, he said, that the Bishops had made a new, or even startling, departure. The Bishops were always required to consider applications from divorced persons who had remarried to be admitted to the Sacraments of the Church.

Public agitation was at present premature and not likely to advance consideration of a grave question. In the Lower House a motion was carried that the Church should not allow the use of the marriage service in the case of anyone who has a partner still living.



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## BURSTS INSIDE ARMOUR

Anti-tank weapons that will make the British Army proof against tank attack have been perfected by gun experts at Woolwich Arsenal.

After three years of intensive experiment and research they have invented an anti-tank gun and an anti-tank rifle.

Infantry armed with the anti-tank rifle will be able to stand up to tanks and beat them.

### ARMOUR RIDDLED

A two-pound shell, fitted with a special armour-piercing nozzle, is fired by the anti-tank gun. This shell can penetrate the armour plates of any tank and explode inside.

One direct hit from an anti-tank gun means death to the whole tank crew and the destruction of the entire mechanism.

The gun travels on a small rubber-tyred truck and is so light that it can be taken up into the front line. It can be stripped from the truck, mounted on a tripod, and brought into action in less than 30 seconds.

It fires with terrific rapidity and can blow up a tank a mile away.

The anti-tank rifle is made for use against whippet tanks, and fires special armour-piercing bullets which can bring a tank to a standstill at a range of 500 yards.

## "SACRAMENT FOR SNOBS"

But Not For The Divorced

A DELAYING amendment was passed by the Lower House of Convocation of Canterbury recently to the Bishop of Barking's resolution calling for the admission to the Sacrament of divorced and remarried persons.

Proposing the amendment—that the matter "be not now considered"—the Archdeacon of Dudley (Dr. A. P. Shepherd) urged that the whole matter of marriage and divorce should go back to a joint committee of the two Convocations, to deliberate in public.

The Rev. E. D. Merritt (London), supporting the amendment, said the resolution, however it may be intended, will be taken by the public in such a way as to appear to pander to the modern non-Christian notions with regard to marriage and divorce.

The Bishop of Plymouth said: "Recently I went to see a very remarkable play, which is based upon an equally remarkable classic—Jane Eyre."

"I am not at all sure that it would not be a good thing for all members of this reverend House to attend that piece."

"If nothing else, they could carry away the ringing words of Fairfax Rochester, after the abortive marriage ceremony—'May you judge as you would be judged yourself one day.'"

The Archdeacon of Stoke-on-Trent, supporting the resolution, said the scandalmonger, the snob who despised his fellow men, and the profiteer could attend at Holy Communion, though he (the Archdeacon) thought, mistakenly, did what he believed to be in accordance with the law of Christ, was the one person to be singled out and treated as a notorious evil liver.

The amendment was carried by 91 votes to 74, and the House adjourned.

## "It's A Boy" Radio

Moscow, June 10. A radio message to-day to Dr. Desdorev, one of the thirteen Soviet scientists camped near the North Pole, told him that his wife had given birth to a boy. The expedition have begun making a film of their daily life.

## TROUBLE MAKER NO 1 IN INDIA



## 30,000 MEN HUNT HIM

The Fakir of Ipi, who has exhorted North-West Frontier tribesmen to rise against Britain, raid villages, attack outposts, and destroy communications. Thirty thousand British and Indian troops have been sent to capture him.

## OUR GUIDE TO THE CINEMAS

"The Great Hospital Mystery" (Alhambra, to-day).—A powerful mystery drama, sweeping in its emotional appeal and concluding with a clever climax. The picture brings together some very able actors in Jane Darwell, Sig Ruman, Sally Blane, Thomas Beck and Joan Davis. The type of picture which will always entertain.

"In Person" (Majestic Theatre, to-day).—In this film Ginger Rogers demonstrates that she is almost as accomplished a straight actor as she is a dancer. She gives a highly refreshing study, and the equable George Brent makes his usual enjoyable contribution.

"Dangerous Number" (Kings Theatre, to-day).—Domestic comedy has become all the rage as a screen vehicle since William Powell and Myrna Loy started their famous appearances together. This is not a "Thin Man" picture, but it carries with it some hilarious domestic comedy, and you are certain to get a laugh or two from the picture. Featured players are Robert Young and Ann Sothern.

"That Girl From Paris" (Star Theatre, to-day).—This is one of the surprise pictures of the year. Although Lily Pons is introduced in it chiefly because she possesses a Grand Opera voice of outstanding quality, the chief note of the film is comedy. Jack Oakie's boisterous, but clever fun-making is delightful, and Gene Raymond's genial personality helps to glid the picture. One astonishing and novel number is Lily Pons singing "Blue Danube" to hot rhythm. Strauss admirers may be slightly shocked, but there is no denying the skill of originality invested in the number.

"Crown And Glory" (Queen's Theatre, to-day).—Stirring and fascinating film, made specially to commemorate the Coronation of King

George VI. It is an assembly of historical documentary pictures from authentic official records, plus scraps of news-reel pictures made from the close of Queen Victoria's reign to the accession of the present King. Admirable supporting programme of short featurettes.

"Sing, Baby, Sing" (Oriental Theatre, to-day).—Whooping with laughs, tingling with tunes, sizzling with swing and abuzz with names, "Sing, Baby, Sing" showing at the Oriental Theatre to-day is a mad jamboree of fun-makers, stars and stogees, songsters and show-stoppers, that is one of the most hilarious triumphs ever brought to the screen. With Alice Faye, Adolphe Menjou, Gregory Ratoff, Red Healy, Patsy Kelly, Michael Whalen and a trio of very welcome screen newcomers, it starts off in a gale of laughter that increases steadily until it is a raging tornado of mirth at the rib-racking climax. Four new songs, "Love Will Tell," "Sing, Baby, Sing," "You Turned the Tables on Me" and "When Did You Leave Heaven?" provide musical interludes for the never-ending laughs.

## Dying Girl In Train Was "Ace" Detective

Paris, June 10. LAETITIA Toureaux, beautiful Italian girl found dying with a knife in her neck in a Paris rush hour on Sunday, was a successful private detective with the reputation of never failing to "get her man."

Not even her family or friends knew.

This sensational revelation was made to-day by M. Rouffignac, head of a private inquiry agency in whose employ Mme. Toureaux had long been.

"She was one of the ablest of my detectives," he said. "She did not have a single failure."

"She was an ace at following people unobserved and she also made a number of successful industrial inquiries in factories and workshops."

The police are now working on the theory that her death may be an act of vengeance on the part of one of the men whom she "got."

Mme. Toureaux was found alone in a first-class carriage when the train stopped at Porte Doree, less than a minute after it had left the busy terminus at Porte Charenton.

## SOHO KILLER GOES INSANE

Murdered "Red Max"

Paris, June 15. Roger Vernon, Devil's Island escapee, sentenced in Paris last month to ten years' gaol and banishment for twenty years for the murder of "Red Max" Kassel in Soho, has gone insane.

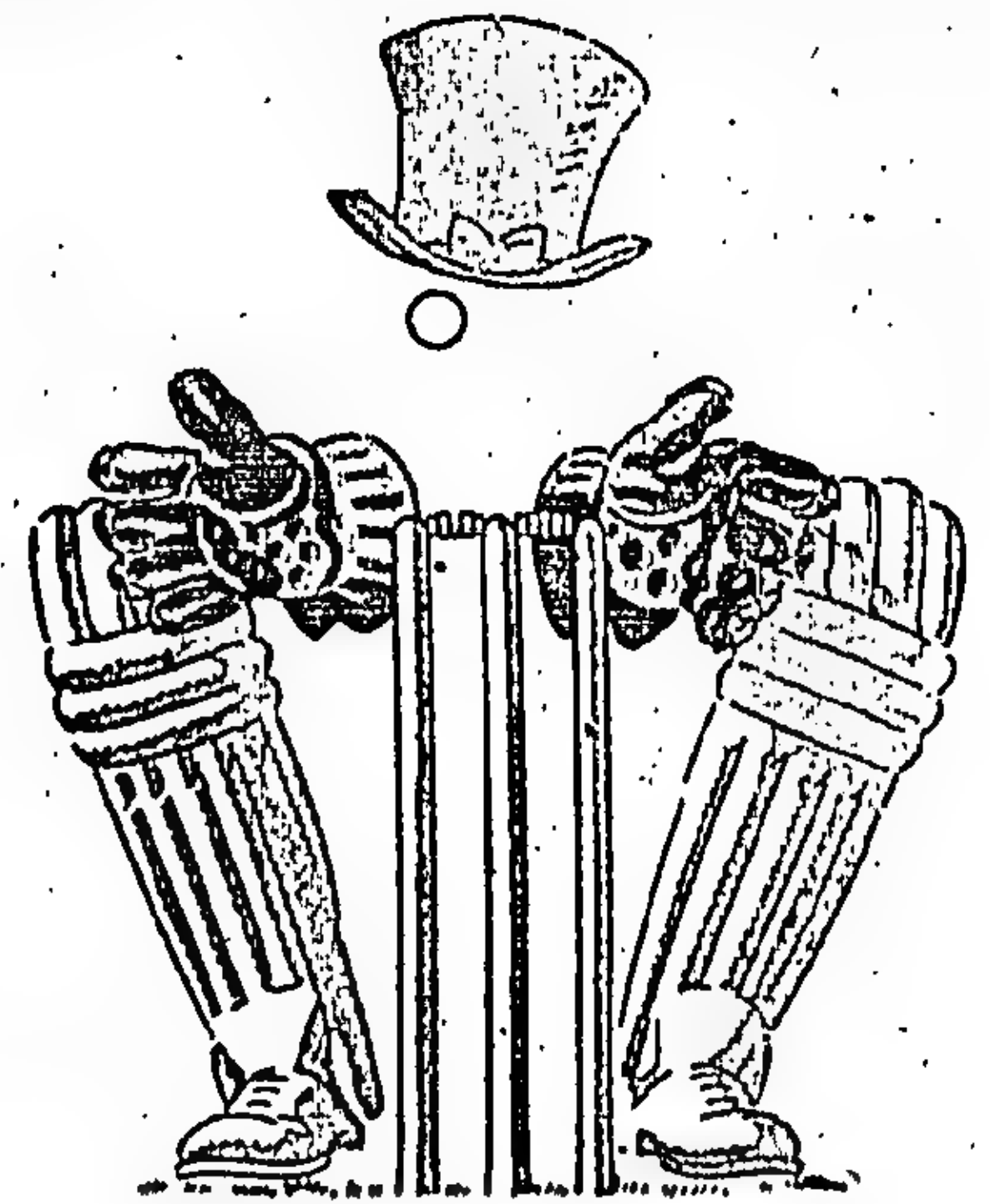
He no longer recognises his grey-haired seventy-year-old father—who spent most of his savings for his son's defence—his mother or his wife, Esther. He lies in the infirmary of the Sainte Prison, refusing to eat or to speak.

A shén knife had been driven into her neck from behind.

As an Army officer and three women entered the train at Porte Doree they saw Mme. Toureaux fall forward from her seat. She tried to speak, but could not.

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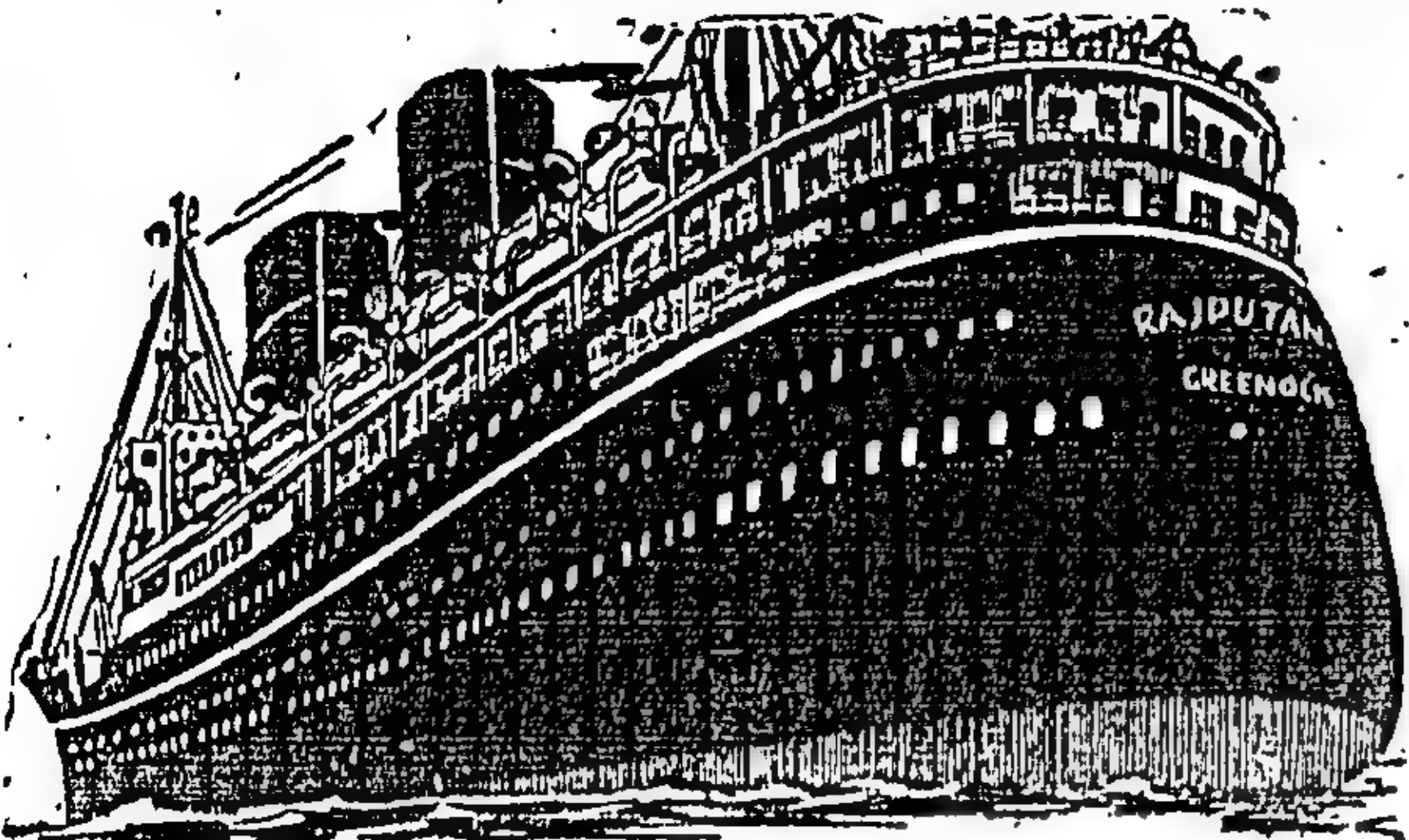
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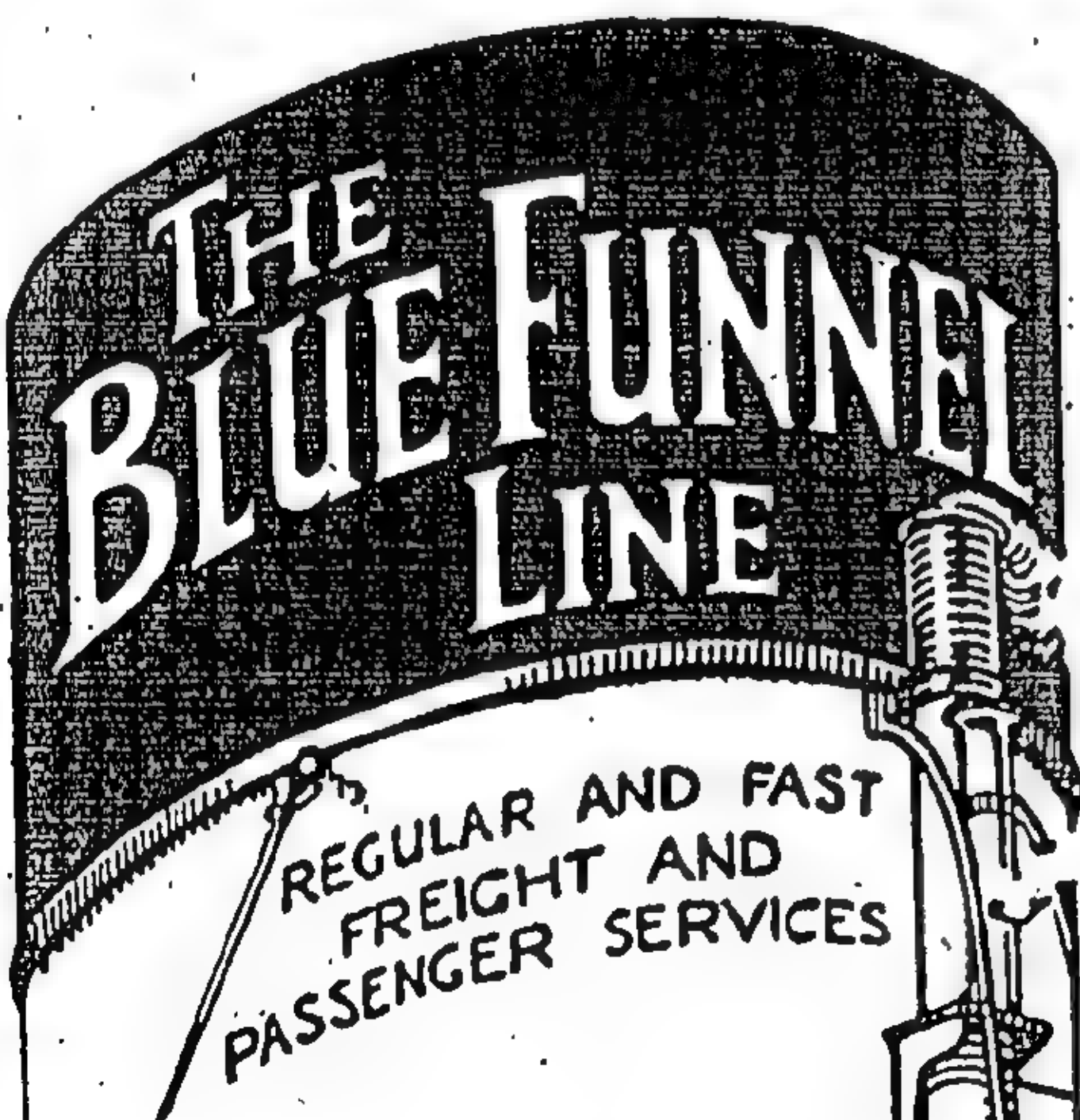
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### T. V. SOONG RETURNS

Canton, June 25.  
 Mr. T. V. Soong, chairman of the Economic Council, returned to Canton last night after a brief visit to Hongkong. Mayor Tseng Yang-fu and other Government officials met the former Minister of Finance.—Reuter.



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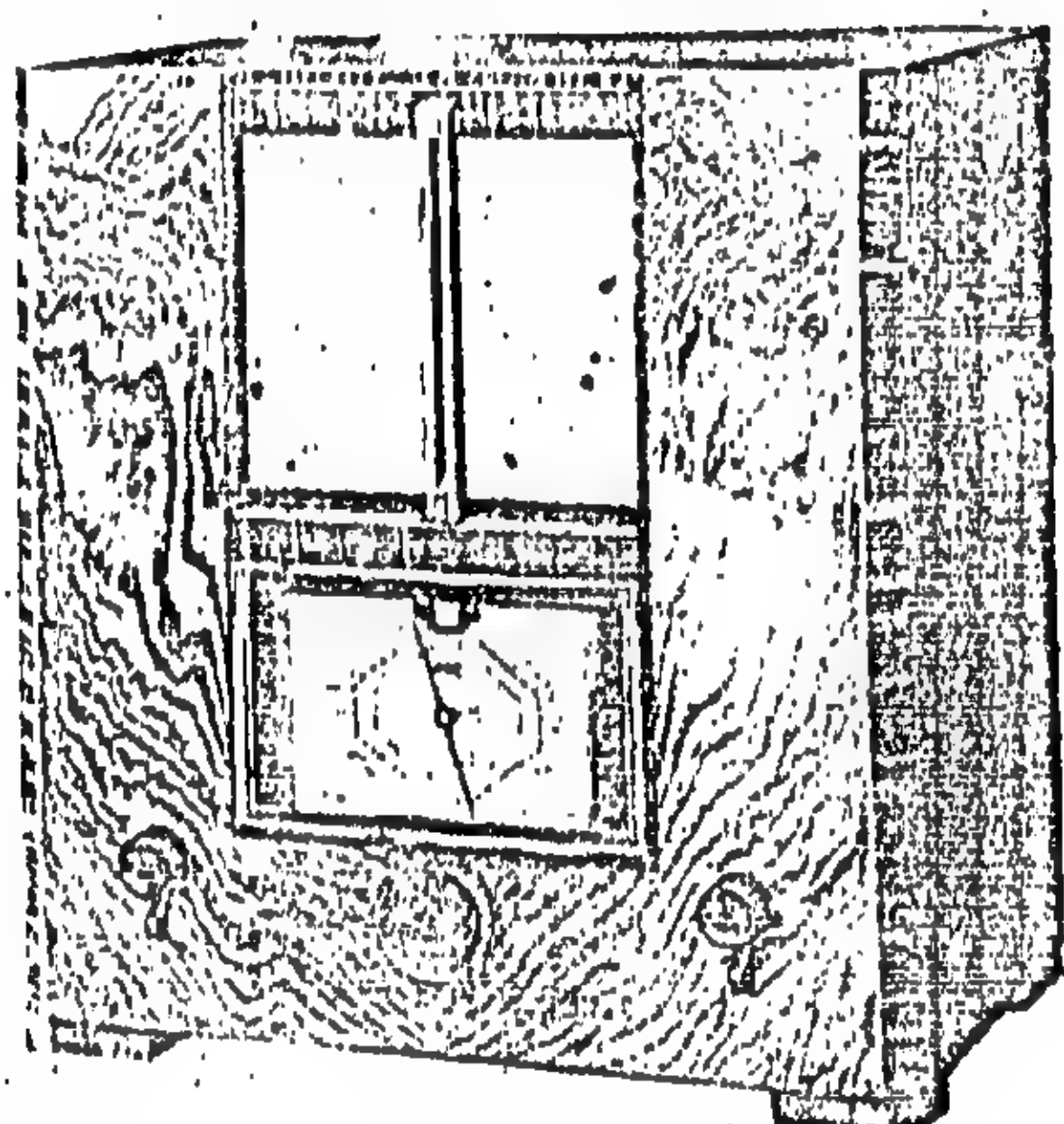
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## GERMANY, ITALY AND SPAIN

Relief, not apprehension, marks Britain's reaction to the withdrawal of Germany and Italy from the naval patrol system, which was designed to secure international co-operation in preventing the inflow into war-torn Spain of volunteers and war material from outside sources. Although technically both Germany and Italy still remain members of the Non-Intervention Committee, for all intents and purposes they can be counted out from useful participation in its work. Seemingly, warships of both nations will still remain off the Spanish coast for the protection of German and Italian merchantmen, and complete liberty of action will be reserved to deal with any incidents which may involve their interests. The decision to back out of the patrol scheme is not surprising, as it has been abundantly clear that neither nation has been too happy under the conditions attached to participation. Following the Deutschland affair Britain and France had hoped that Germany and Italy would take no action in future incidents except by general agreement amongst the four Powers, but they had to be content with a watering down of this proposal, by which eventual retaliation was not altogether ruled out. Then came the Leipzig incident, which has still to be satisfactorily cleared up. Britain and France desired this to be the subject of full inquiry, but Germany and Italy wished to make a Four-Power naval demonstration off the coast of Valencia—not by way of actual reprisals, but in order to "show the flag" as a proof of solidarity by the patrolling Powers. It was on this point that agreement was found impossible, and which has led to withdrawal of Italy and Germany from the patrol system. The one satisfactory element in the situation is that there are to be no reprisals over the Leipzig incident. Germany says she is willing to co-operate in a "just" non-intervention scheme, but argues that the present arrangement is not preventing the inflow of volunteers or war material. But the fault for this circumstance cannot be laid

## INSTEAD of this "War is Inevitable" stuff—

Let's talk of Peace. Let's think of Peace. Let's work for Peace. Let's pray for Peace—"Give Peace in Our Time, O Lord!" Let's do all we can for Peace for this our England. Why?

Well, let those of us who do not know what war is think what war means—to the man in it. And—yesterday of anything from seventeen to thirty-seven—this means YOU. War means:

**FEAR:** Fear of everything; fear of nothing. Fear of things seen and unseen. Fear of things tangible and intangible. Fear of dying; fear of living on.

Fear of going forward (the other side shoot you if you're not careful, or lucky). Fear of running back (your own side shoot you if you do that).

Fear of showing your fear—worst fear of all, this. It's when fear grips you that you realise what the Bible means by "My tongue clave to the roof of my mouth."

**HUNGER:** First fortnight at war: "Poor old George got killed to-day; we must write to his mother." After six months of war: "Old Jack stopped one to-day"—and you scramble for his haversack to see if he had any bread left.

**THIRST:** The widow Clicquot makes a good drink. Here's a better: Four men, risking their skin, typhoid, tetanus, and—what is greater than either—a court-martial, creep out to a shell-hole in No Man's Land and drink, drink, drink, from it; without bothering to scoop the slime off the top, without paying the least attention to the dead man's arm sticking up in the middle of it.

at the doors of Britain and France, at any rate. It is, indeed, obvious that both Germany and Italy, so far from being wholly disinterested in the actual outcome of the civil war, want the insurgents to win, a point made perfectly clear by the congratulatory messages sent to General Franco by Herr Hitler and Signor Mussolini. Any Power which is genuinely non-interventionist in its policy should stand totally aloof from the quarrel, and, so far as positive action is concerned, should co-operate not only in preventing further volunteers from entering the country, but also in securing the withdrawal of all foreign combatants still on Spanish soil. It is only by such a policy that the danger of involving Europe generally in the struggle can be avoided.

# Ready-reference guide to the Job No One Wants

by  
**W. T. KNOTT**

**ANOTHER KIND  
OF FEAR:** "What will happen to my missus, if I get killed?" (That particular fear is with you a lot.)

**DIRT:** I'm the twenty-seventh man who has tried to have some sort of wash in this bucket of water this morning—and this is the sixth morning it's been the same bucket of water. And it's seven weeks since we had a change of underclothes."

**COLD:** Feet too cold to move, let alone to carry the rest of the body along the trench. Hands too numb to hold a rifle—let alone fire it. "Can Hell— with its everlasting fire, its warm fire, be so bad! . . ."

**HEAT:** Lug a pack (weight 80lbs.) on your back the whole of a summer day, while you march, and march, and march. Everything is soaked. . . .

**WET:** It has rained for forty-eight hours. Our front line, our support line, is inches deep. Outside the trenches is a quagmire. Greatcoat, soaking. Tunic, soaking. Shirt, soaking. Undershirt, soaking. But if it stops raining to-night and the sun shines to-morrow things should be better. Anyway . . . stick it. . . .

**TIREDDNESS:** "Was it only the night before last that we had some sleep! . . ."

**LIES:** "The morale of the troops is excellent."

**EARLY RISING:** If you don't like getting up to catch the 8.40, how would you like getting up (from a bed on Old Mother Earth) to go over the top at 5.15?

**RATS:** They live with you; sleep with you; eat your tomorrow's rations while you sleep; gnaw your boots while you're wearing them; give you the jitters as nothing else can. Whenever you like in a war you'll find rats. If you die in a war they find you.

**TOBACCO-HUNGER:** Tuesday . . . and that's the last cigarette till they come round again on Friday.

**PAIN:** (This little piece comes from "Bayonet Training, 1916"): "The bayonet is essentially an offensive weapon—go straight at an opponent with the point threatening his throat, and deliver the point whenever an opening presents itself."

**DRAGOONING:** "Out of bed, there, you!" "Pick 'em up, there!" "Fall in there, you!" "Hit you! keep in step!" "You, there, get hold of those ammunition boxes!" It goes on like that all the time in a war: other people run your life for you.

It's a "smart" adjective now—for a play, a film, a book, or anything you don't quite like. It's not so smart when you yourself really are lousy. It can hurt.

## GETTING KILLED OR WOUNDED:

I've left these to the last because they are the things that matter least in a war. If you're killed you're out of it, and don't have all the other things to suffer; and if you're wounded you're out of it, too, if you're lucky.

**MAYBE** you'll think from all this that I don't like war.

You're right, I don't. And maybe you'll think, if there was another war, I wouldn't fight again.

By gosh! you're wrong. I would—for England.

But if we think and talk Peace, and believe in Peace, instead of the "war is inevitable" line of stuff, I don't see why I—or you—should have to.

Believe me, youngster, you wouldn't like war any more than I did.

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### AN EMPLOYER'S APPEAL to his STAFF

Defence is in the air in Hongkong and the following appeal, circulated by a talpan to his staff, is opportune. Our correspondent's modest motive was that the matter could be employed in some way as a guide to other employers in presenting to their staffs the case for the Colony's Defence.

The appeal is excellent in every way, and sums up what would be the position of a young man if he were trained or if he were not. It also deals with the military situation so briefly but so cogently—especially in relation to air attack—that we have decided to print the appeal in full in the hope that it may be of real service in reducing the shortage in ranks.

**MEMBERS** of the Staff have no doubt seen the many and urgent appeals which are being made to join the Volunteers. Many of us, I am afraid, are apt to think, if, indeed, we give the matter any thought at all, that these appeals do not, for some reason, apply to us. But I suggest that it is the duty of each one of us to consider honestly whether he or she ought not to take a share, and not always to "leave it to the other fellow."

Many nations solve the problem by conscription, but in this Colony we still rely on the voluntary system to supplement our Garrison, which are woefully small for the defence of our Colony.

On the outbreak of war—which, we must remember, might very easily be forced upon us by some other nation, however loth Britain might be to respond—the majority of those who were fit to do so would no doubt flock to the recruiting stations or civilian organisations (as in 1914) anxious to "do their bit." But surely it is the height of folly to wait for the emergency to arise. The trained man or

woman is worth twice the untrained enthusiast, and the time for training is before, not after, the alarm sounds.

The new menace from the air and the possibility of gas attack on soldiers and civilians alike, add to the necessity for organised and widespread preparation for the defence of our country, in which men and women of nearly all ages can play useful parts, according to their time and capabilities.

For younger men there is the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps and Hongkong Naval Volunteer Forces, for men or women the St. John Ambulance Association, the last being in need of volunteers for anti-gas service. All are sadly below strength, especially the Volunteers, whose primary role is the defence of our own island beaches.

We often hear the objection raised—"I have no military inclinations." "I don't know anything about soldiering." "I haven't time," and so on. The question of time may be a valid reason. Some of us may be so placed at home that we are genuinely unable to give the necessary time to voluntary work of this kind in addition to our jobs, and those who have only five years before returning Home are probably wise to wait before undertaking some of the more active forms of service until they have got them out of the way.

However, I appeal to those who are not tied, and who are young and fit, and have no serious duties outside office hours to absorb their spare time. Will these last give their serious consideration to a matter of which they may not have realised the importance before, and see if they cannot take their place, at any rate for a time, with other "willing horses" who have decided that if Hongkong is to remain safe, we must be strong enough to defend ourselves?

From my own experience I can assure any waverers that service of this kind, apart from its value to the Colony, brings its own reward in the discovery of new friends and interests and in the knowledge that one is doing one's job. And, if war unhappily comes, the advantage of having had some previous training is an untold one—as I can again testify.

A brief survey of other countries to-day will, I think, convince even the most optimistic and easy-going that several important nations are rapidly putting themselves into a state of thorough preparation for war (Germany, Italy, Russia, and Japan, to name four), and are training their whole populations; men, women, and even children, to play their parts. If we ignore these obvious signs, we do so at our peril; the years since the last war have shown all except the wilfully blind that other nations have not followed—and will not follow—Britain's example of disarmament. The Government have at last awakened to the danger, and are taking steps to increase Hongkong's defences, but our comparatively small garrison must have the backing of citizen service behind them. And yet we see a shortage of volunteers on all sides.

In conclusion, I should like to stress that the next war may well come upon us all suddenly from the air. Each of us, therefore, might well ask himself these questions:

If this Colony were to be attacked to-morrow, should I—

(a) Go to my appointed station ready to get down to the job I am trained for?

(b) Have to worry busy people to be taught to do something useful?

(c) Be told to join the old people and the children in the cellar?

If any member of the staff would like advice on the question of some kind of useful service, I shall be only too pleased to give all the help I can, and, in regard to annual camp or other similar training, the firm will do their best, as far as work permits, to grant leave at the necessary date.



# Dean's Retort to Roman Catholic Archbishop

## SOUGHT TRUTH IN SPANISH TOUR

DR. HEWLETT JOHNSON, Dean of Canterbury, has replied to an attack by the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Westminster, Dr. Arthur Hinsley, on "arranged tours of part of another country" (Spain) by religious leaders.

The Dean, it will be recalled, led a mission of three Anglicans, two Roman Catholics, two Free Churchmen and two organisers on a tour of the Spanish Government war-fronts.

In a pastoral letter, Dr. Hinsley referred to the Archbishop of Canterbury's appeal for a recall to religion, and asked why "some of these leaders of religion" have been so ready to make arranged tours of part of another country in order to return with doubly-

## CLERGYMAN STABBED IN SHIP

Copenhagen, June 10.

A Danish clergyman, the Rev. O. Hoerlyck, was sitting half asleep in the smoking-room of the steamer Parkston, bound from Esbjerg to Harwich, last night, when, it is alleged, an Arab seaman ran in, drew a dagger, and stabbed him.

Another passenger seized a bottle and smashed it over the head of the Arab, who rushed on deck and jumped overboard.

The Parkston stopped and lowered a boat, and the seaman, Ahmed Hassel, a discharged stoker on his way to London, who is believed to be insane, was picked up and handcuffed.

Mr. Hoerlyck underwent an operation, but, though seriously wounded, he is stated not to be in danger.

Hassel has been placed under arrest. The police say that when they tried to take his fingerprints he resisted violently, believing that he was going to be placed in the electric chair.

### British Legion

## "EX-ENEMY" TO BE DROPPED

## "WORLD PILGRIMAGE TO BATTLEFIELDS"

The British Legion, at the concluding session of their Conference at Queen's Hall decided that the word ex-enemy should cease to be used in correspondence from Headquarters, and that in its place the name of the country should be used.

The Conference agreed that an effort should be made to arrange for next year an international pilgrimage to the battlefields.

The Chairman (Major F. W. C. Fetherston-Godley) said, "Let us see a world-wide pilgrimage." This suggestion was adopted with enthusiasm.

A motion regretting the action of the B.B.C. in limiting the broadcast last year, and hoping that the whole would be broadcast by the National and Empire transmitters, was adopted.

Sir Ian Fraser, Governor of the B.B.C., assured the Conference that the whole, or an overwhelmingly large part, of the next Remembrance Day Festival at the Albert Hall would be broadcast.

"We feel," he said, "that it is one of our duties that the recollections and hopes of the War-time generation should be fully and properly represented in all our programmes."

## EGYPT CANNOT GET HER GUNS

## BRITISH ARMAMENT FIRMS TOO BUSY

## CZECHS MAKE AN OFFER

Cairo, June 10.

Following rumours that British armament manufacturers are unable to meet the Egyptian Government's orders and that recourse might be had to French firms, Lewa Aly Fahmy Pasha, the War Minister, stated to Press representatives last week that the Egyptian Government had no intention of purchasing their armaments elsewhere than in Britain, as had been stipulated in the Anglo-Egyptian Treaty.

He confirmed, however, that, owing to the rush of work caused by the British rearmament programme, British manufacturers were unable for the present to supply Egypt with her immediate needs.

It was therefore decided by the Egyptian War Ministry to hire field guns—three batteries of 18 pounders and three batteries of 4.5 howitzers—from the British Army in Egypt, pending the receipt of such guns from Britain.

To-day, however, it is learned that Czechoslovakian firms have made offers for the immediate sale of field guns of the same model as those used in the British Army.

It is believed the Egyptian Government has submitted these proposals to the War Office in London for advice.

strengthened bias against the martyred Church, and even clumsily to condone extreme unbelief?

"Why," he says "help to drag the Trojan Horse of Communism into our country?"

### SEEING ALL

Dr. Hewlett Johnson, in his reply, says: "If the reference is to me, I would state that my tour was made on the understanding that I should be permitted to see all I desired."

"That condition was granted, even to visiting aerodromes and front line trenches, speaking to prisoners alone, flying across the sea to the Basque provinces, motoring through the whole of Government Spain from Toulouse, via Gerona, Barcelona, Tarragona, Tortosa, Castellon and Valencia to Madrid."

"So far from being hostile to the church of the land, I have regularly in previous journeys worshipped in its churches, and on this visit joined the worshippers in the Basque country, where the churches are full, and where the members of the Government are practising Catholics."

"It is significant that they, too, are fighting beside the Government, and, as they say, for democracy."

"Our journey was made to seek the truth from personal observation. We offered to make the same investigation in General Franco's territory, if given the same facilities, namely, to see all that we desired, and subsequently to write a free report. The offer has not been accepted."

"We were recorded an instance of lying propaganda almost immediately upon our arrival in the Basque country."

"With our own eyes, and at peril to our lives, we watched the bombing of Durango."

"The church, convent and village were destroyed. There were 800 casualties, and among the 120 slain was the sister of my chauffeur. She was a nun."

"The bombing and the subsequent machine-gunning were the work of German airmen, yet Franco's wireless attributed the destruction of the church and convent and the slaughter of the priests and nuns to the Reds. And this wireless was repeated in Berlin and Milan."

"I was able immediately to broadcast a refutation of that lie, and I was subsequently in the house where four of the German airmen were examined. I saw their camera and their own photographs."

"Never for a moment have I condoned violence. I only try to understand and remove, in my own church as well as in their churches, the things that may occasion it."

"It is a mistake to imagine that Government Spain is by any means wholly Communist."

"It is a mistake to deny that the new forces stirring there and in Russia possess among many things we deplore, elements which seem to be Christian in origin—namely the effort to replace the profit motive by the service motive in industry; to give equal security to every citizen; and remove the barrier raised by class or race."

"Individualism and the universalism which lie behind these ideas are surely not un-Christian, and indeed they are attacked in Central Europe just because they are Christian. I wish to see them grow in this land, too, and, if it please God, to win recognition here by peaceful, not violent methods."

"If we are to do this, it will depend largely upon the churches' attitude."

## Paradise Lost—1937 Version

## Headed for a South Seas "Paradise," an expedition is to sail from New York.

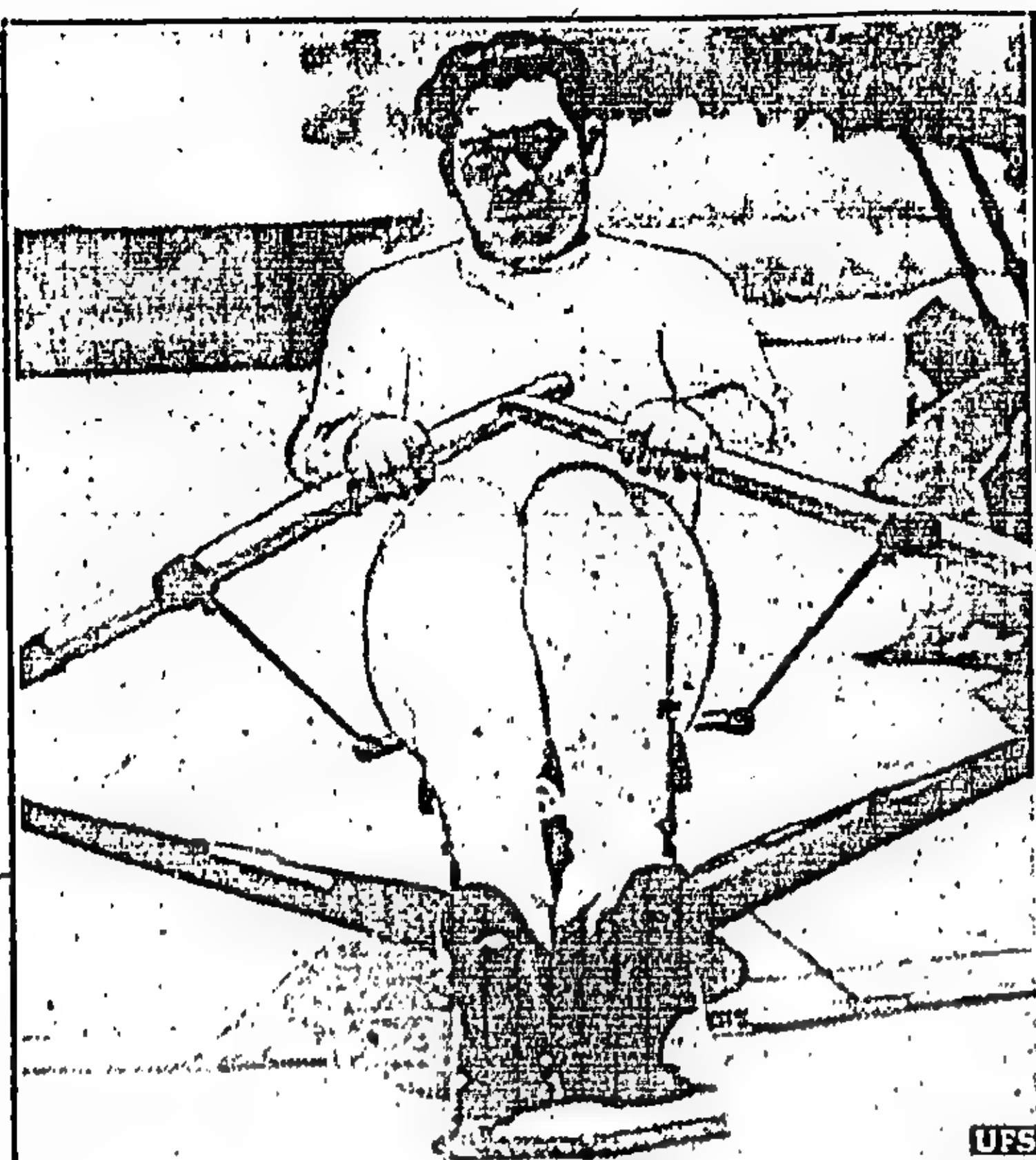
Its 500 members will disembark at Wanawana, a small South Seas island, where Maurice Allard, American millionaire, hopes to set up the ideal settlement.

## EXPERIMENTAL LOVE LETTERS

Prague, June 10.

Czech post office authorities have instituted experimentally a system to keep love letters really secret.

A new triangular stamp has been issued which marks any letter as strictly personal. A letter bearing this stamp will be handed only to the person to whom it is addressed and not to any relatives—not even mother-or-father.



### CUBA'S CHIEF

How a dictator keeps fit is here exemplified by Colonel Fulgencio Batista, Cuba's Iron Man. He is shown doing his morning exercises on a rowing machine, on the roof of his palatial home at Camp Columbia, just outside Havana. He officially is Army Chief of Staff.

## 50,000 Men Went Home Disgruntled

NOT ENOUGH FOOD: BAD CONDITIONS IN CAMP: NO MEDALS FOR MOST OF THEM

## Stories That Are "Harmful"

WHITEHALL is just discovering that some 50,000 disgruntled and disillusioned Territorial officers and men brought to London for the Coronation have gone home with reports which will do the Territorial movement untold harm. The complaints are:—

Bad food and not enough of it; Bad conditions of the camps; Allocation of the Coronation medals; Allocation of seats along the route.

The general complaint is that the Coronation plans were hatched without sympathy. Hopes and imaginations were whipped up months in advance—and then let down with a bump.

### BLOW TO THEIR ENTHUSIASM

Three or four months ago officers were asked what was the greatest numbers they could bring. They responded heartily.

Men approached their employers, and were given special leave. Hundreds of units were prepared to come to London 100 per cent. strong. Blow number one came soon afterwards, when they were told that only representative contingents were needed—two officers and 20 men or one officer and 14 men for the route, and one officer and three men for the procession.

NAMES DRAWN FROM A HAT. Why all the preliminary excitement? was the question they all asked.

The men cheerfully agreed to a ballot. Names of all men with war service, and those with five years' recent service, went into a hat. The lucky ones went to London.

Then came the great medal disappointment. Ninety thousand medals were struck.

### HANDING OUT THE MEDALS

The men believed that all those attending would get one. These medals have now arrived—about three to a unit, one sent to the commanding officer by name, one for a warrant officer, and one for a private.

Commanding Officers in many cases have again ordered a resort to the ballot method.

In some cases they have awarded it to the oldest soldier.

In others the recipient was not lucky in the first ballot and was not in the contingent. So some men who did not go to London have got the medals.

### WAITING IN THE RAIN

The most serious complaints, about camp conditions, come from Kensington Gardens.

It is admitted that the weather was appalling, but Red Tape made things worse.

Officers who arrived at 11.30 on Monday morning paraded in the rain from that time to 1.25 (in the rain) to learn what tents they were allocated.

Every bar of chocolate issued for the Coronation parade had to be indexed for and signed for by the C.O.'s.

One unit, which paraded under a Major had the ration which had been issued withdrawn because the Colonel was not there in person.

The men had waited for over an hour for the issue.

COMPLAINTS ABOUT FOOD. Men in Kensington Gardens ran short of food, and disliked much of what they got. Many officers complained.

The Army did the rationing. Another source of disappointment arises from the seats allotted on the route to Territorial officers.

Units were asked to furnish a return of officers' names, and were told that seats would be allotted.

They expected to make their own allotments. Whichall decided otherwise. The ballot was made in the War Office.

Some units received 10 or 12 seats, others two or three, some none at all.

### WAR HEROES IGNORED

In one case a young officer only just gazetted was the only one to get a seat, and others who saw service in the war and won decorations were ignored.

Add to this the disappointment of the shrinking uniforms, the general conditions of the camps (the men realised that the authorities could not help the weather and had no complaint about that) and it is easy to understand why those concerned with the future of the Territorial movement are gravely concerned.

## Scientist's Life Work

Aberdeen, June 15.

When Dr. Alexander Adler, brilliant thirty-six-year-old research psychologist at Harvard University, heard that his world-famous Viennese psychologist father, Professor Alfred Adler, had collapsed and died in an Aberdeen street to-day, he immediately arranged to sail from New York to carry on his work.

Dr. Alexander Adler spends his life, as did his father, in trying to solve a multitude of human problems—problems of love, of sex, of nerves, of inferiority complex, problems of religious doubts and difficulties.

Professor Adler, founder of the science of "individual psychology," is said to have "worked himself to death." His work attracted world-wide attention during thirty years as a general practitioner in Vienna. Then he became lecturer in psychology, lectured at most of the famous universities of the world.

## RADIO BROADCAST

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7.30 p.m. Stock Quotations and Hongkong Exchange Market. 7.35 p.m. The London Palladium Orchestra.

Scenes Pittoresques—Angelus; Fetes Boheme (Massenet); Childhood Memories (arr. Somers); The Lark—Selection (arr. Middleton).

7.57 p.m. Time, Weather and Announcements.

8 p.m. From the Studio.

A Programme of French Music by Clifford Huntsman (Pianoforte).

8.30 p.m. Voices of Spring—Waltz (Strauss), played by Ferdie Kauffman and Orchestra.

8.55 p.m. From the Studio.

Frank V. Read on Local Tennis. 8.45 p.m. Orchestral Prologue.

8.50 p.m. From the Studio.

The 12th of a second series of Gramophone Recitals by the Rev. C. B. R. Sargent. "Orpheus" (Gluck).

9.30 p.m. London—News and Announcements.

9.55 p.m. Waltzes played by Marek Weber and His Orchestra.

Tales of Autumn (Pomona), (Waldteufel); Moonlight on the Alster (Fetras); Wine, Women and Song (Strauss).

10.00 p.m. Songs by Turner Layton.

Miracles sometimes happen; Cabin on the hill-top; Pennies from heaven.

10.15 p.m. London—Red, White and New. An intimate revue, composed by Ian Grant. Book and lyrics by Ian Grant. Music by Edward Horan. Production by Frederick Pittard.

10.45 p.m. Dance Music.

Fox-Trot—Unbelievable; Fox-Trot—Drop in next time you're passing; Fox-Trot—Sing, Baby, sing; Fox-Trot—Swingin' on the moon; Fox-Trot—Until to-day.

11 p.m. Close Down.

## ALLEGED SUICIDE ATTEMPTS

## THREE WOMEN SENT TO HOSPITAL

Three women were removed to hospital yesterday as the result of swallowing opium in alleged attempts to commit suicide.

Tang Ng, a 30-year-old married woman, of No. 22 Pokfulam Road, was taken to the Queen Mary Hospital, while another married woman, Chan Tong, aged 28, was taken to the Kowloon Hospital. She was found in her house at No. 10 Fa Yuen Street.

Still another married woman, Ma Lu-pun, aged 25, living at No. 289 Lai-chikok Road, was admitted to the Kwong Wah Hospital, after swallowing opium.

## MAN'S NINTH CONVICTION

## STIFF TERM FOR SNATCHING

With a record of eight previous convictions for larceny against him, Au So, aged 37, unemployed, was brought before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy this morning, charged with the theft of \$29.10 from Tsing Po in Connaught Road Central yesterday.

Detective-Sergeant T. Cashman stated that while Tsim was walking towards the New Asia Hotel, defendant came up from behind and snatched the money from his pocket. Tsim immediately caught hold of Au, who was seen to pass the money to another man, who escaped.

His Worship remarked that the case was one of the worst that he had dealt with, and sentenced defendant to six months' hard labour and two years' police supervision at the expiration of his sentence.

## CAR OWNERS CHARGED

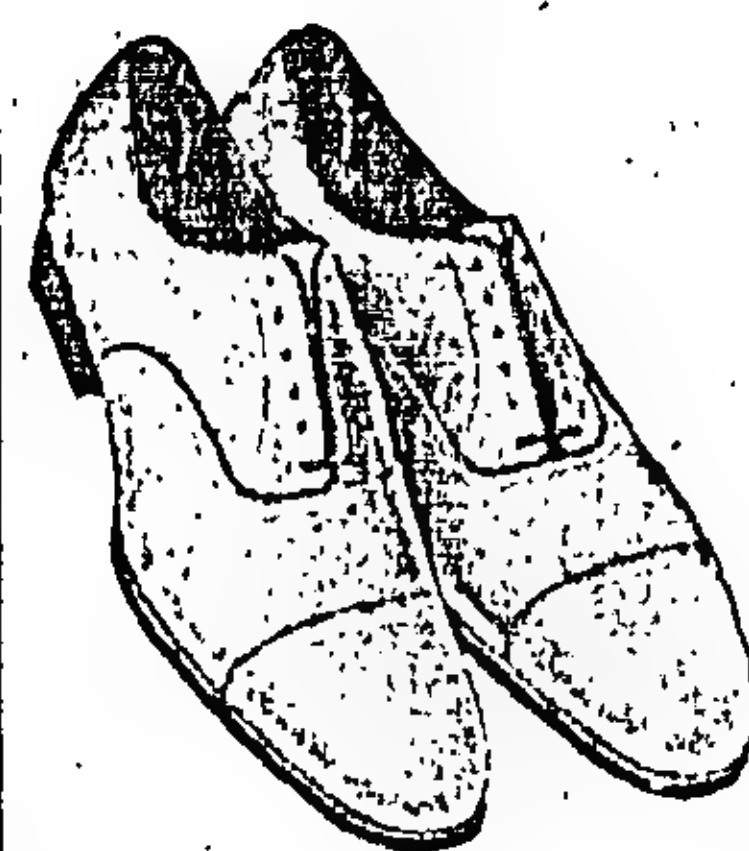
## TWO LADIES AMONG DEFENDANTS

Mrs. Whitham, driver of private car No. 4126, sent a letter pleading guilty when a summons against her for parking over the time-limit in Pedder Street on June 11 was called before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy this morning.

She was cautioned.

A fine of \$5 was imposed on Miss Mak Ching-ham, driver of private car No. 2894, for causing an obstruction in Chater Road on June 11 between 3.15 and 4.45 p.m. Sergeant Bethell prosecuted.

W. Stoker, car No. 455, did not appear in Court when a summons against him for parking overtime in Connaught Road Central on June 14 was mentioned. A remand of a week was ordered.



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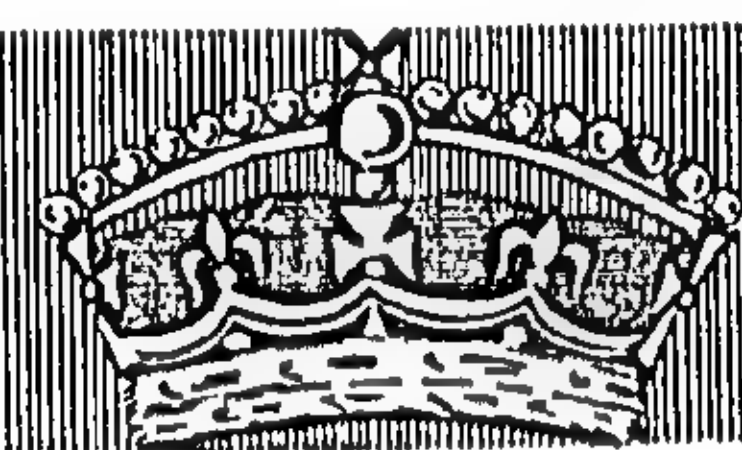
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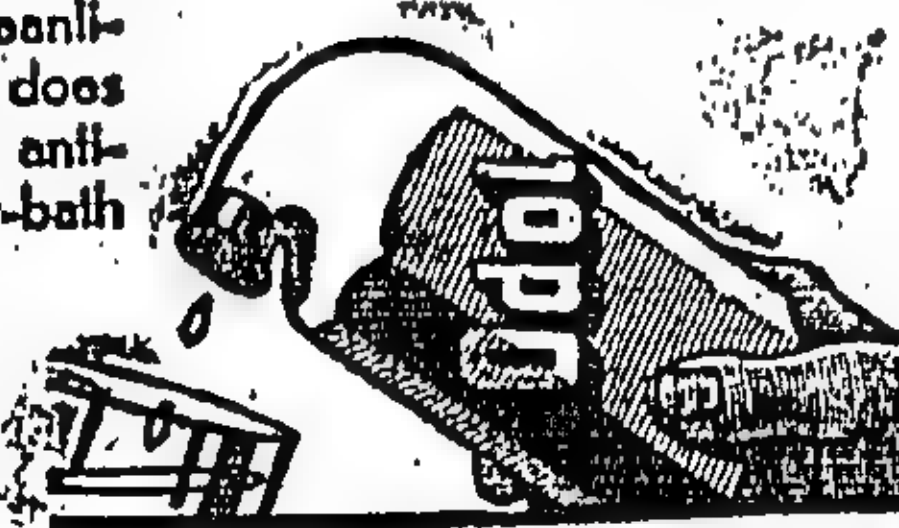


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## DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

HABIT IS A CABLE; WE WEAVE A THREAD OF IT EVERY DAY, AND AT LAST WE CANNOT BREAK IT.—Horace Mann.

The loss of jewellery valued at \$107 from No. 105 the Peak, between May 25 and June 6, has been reported to the Police by Mr. G. S. Kennedy, Supt., the District Officer (South).

Aman, Chui Chuen, aged 27, was knocked down by private motor car No. 4511 in Waterloo Road near Argyle Street yesterday. He received injuries to his head and feet and was taken to the Kowloon Hospital for treatment.

Charged with keeping an opium den and with possession of prepared opium and heroin pills, Chan Kim, 28, unemployed, was remanded for a week on \$500 bail when he appeared before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy this morning.

Fully restored in health after a stay of six months in Nanking and Anhwei, Dr. Chou Lou, member of the standing committee of the Kuomintang Central Executive Committee and Chancellor of Sun Yat-sen University, returned to Canton yesterday by train from Hengchow, Hunan, says the Canton Daily Sun.

A Chinese dentist, Li Yau-shan, was charged before Mr. K. Keen at the Central Magistracy this morning with the possession of two forged \$5 and one forged \$10 banknotes of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank at No. 284 Queen's Road Central, first floor. Mr. M. A. da Silva appeared for the defence, and stated that defendant came into possession of the notes in the course of his business. The case was adjourned, after evidence had been heard, to 11.45 a.m. on Friday, July 2. Detective Sub-Inspector L. R. Whant prosecuted.



# HOW THE DERBY WAS WON BY A WOMAN OWNER FOR FIRST TIME IN HISTORY



A close-up of the horses (showing the winner) at the Mile Post

## FIRST-CLASS CRICKET AVERAGES

J. Parks' 71.50 Batting

The following were the leading first-class cricket averages up to and including June 1:

BATTING				
(Qualification 6 innings, average 35)				
Inns.	Runs	Inns.	Runs	Average
J. H. Parks	14	2	538	124.5
C. G. Cooke	13	1	538	124.5
H. G. Tait	10	1	538	124.5
W. R. Hammond	13	1	538	124.5
M. R. Barton	7	0	274	102.3
R. C. M. Kipling	7	0	274	102.3
Mitchell	10	0	329	103.0
Prentice	9	0	449	103.0
Langridge	10	0	449	103.0
Ames	10	0	449	103.0
R. E. B. Wyatt	10	0	449	103.0
Arnold	10	0	449	103.0
Paynter	10	0	449	103.0
Berry (Leeds)	9	0	449	103.0
Worthington	9	0	449	103.0
Armstrong (Leeds)	9	0	449	103.0
Dyson	10	0	449	103.0
C. B. Semple	7	0	274	102.3
Flahlock	7	0	274	102.3
Dolley	7	0	274	102.3
J. W. A. Stephenson	7	0	274	102.3
Davies	7	0	274	102.3
Pollock	7	0	274	102.3
M. R. T. Turnbull	7	0	274	102.3
W. R. D. Dixon	7	0	274	102.3
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Todd	10	0	449	103.0
Smaller	10	0	449	103.0
Duckfield	7	0	274	102.3
Keston	7	0	274	102.3
Signifies Not Out.				

BOWLING				
Inns.	Runs	Inns.	Runs	Average
Smith, P. (Essex)	15.7	0	178	11.4
Poppe, G. H.	15.7	0	178	11.4
Nichols	15.7	0	178	11.4
Gover	15.7	0	178	11.4
Baker	15.7	0	178	11.4
Langridge	15.7	0	178	11.4
Jones, E. C. (Gloucester)	15.7	0	178	11.4
Stirling	15.7	0	178	11.4
Andrews	15.7	0	178	11.4
Boyes	15.7	0	178	11.4
Mitchell (Derby)	15.7	0	178	11.4
Pollard	15.7	0	178	11.4
Davies	15.7	0	178	11.4
Verity	15.7	0	178	11.4
Sibbles	15.7	0	178	11.4
Slings	15.7	0	178	11.4
Lawford	15.7	0	178	11.4
Hill (Hants)	15.7	0	178	11.4
Goddard	15.7	0	178	11.4
Hammond, W. R.	15.7	0	178	11.4
Robinson	15.7	0	178	11.4
Booth	15.7	0	178	11.4
Smith, J. (M.C.C.)	15.7	0	178	11.4
R. W. V. Hobbs	15.7	0	178	11.4
R. F. H. Darvall	15.7	0	178	11.4
Smith	15.7	0	178	11.4
J. C. Clay	15.7	0	178	11.4
Eastman	15.7	0	178	11.4
Parks, J. H.	15.7	0	178	11.4
Merced	15.7	0	178	11.4

N. ZEALAND AVERAGES				
BATTING				
Inns.	Runs	Inns.	Runs	Average
D. A. R. Moloney	15.7	0	178	11.4
F. W. Tindill	15.7	0	178	11.4
J. P. Donnelly	15.7	0	178	11.4
A. W. Roberts	15.7	0	178	11.4
M. Wallace	15.7	0	178	11.4
T. L. Kerr	15.7	0	178	11.4
W. N. Carson	15.7	0	178	11.4
M. L. Page	15.7	0	178	11.4
N. Gallahan	15.7	0	178	11.4
H. G. Vivian	15.7	0	178	11.4
W. A. Hatfield	15.7	0	178	11.4
A. Dunning	15.7	0	178	11.4
J. R. Lamason	15.7	0	178	11.4
J. Cowie	15.7	0	178	11.4

## N. Zealand Eve Of Test Victory

BEAT NORFOLK BY 8 WICKETS

London, June 24. The New Zealanders to-day beat Norfolk by eight wickets in their last game before the first Test match which starts on Saturday. Norfolk were dismissed in the first innings for 105; Gallahan capturing five wickets for 37 runs, and their second knock produced 123.

New Zealanders replied with 122, but batted with much greater skill in the fourth innings, hitting up 107 for the loss of two wickets.

**SURVEY WINS**  
Surrey beat Oxford University by ten wickets. Oxford were sent back for 171 and Surrey countered with a first innings score of 397 (Fishlock 143) thus leaving them needing but nine runs to win, which they obtained without loss.—*Reuter*.

**KENT AGAIN BEATEN**  
Gloucester beat Kent by an innings and 31. Kent 104 (Goddard 6-26) and 144 (Goddard 6-07). Gloucester 279 (Barnett 103, Hammond 90).—*Reuter*.

Also batted: T. C. Lowry, 1; G. L. Weir, 10 and 6.  
**BOWLING**  
D. A. R. Moloney 50.3 4 101 10 12.73  
J. A. Dunning 31.4 4 200 10 16.25  
J. Cowie 90 22 230 14 10.42  
N. Gallahan 77.2 30 235 9 22.03  
A. W. Roberts 125.5 47 177 8 30.87  
H. G. Vivian 66 10 154 1 154.00  
Also bowled: M. P. Donnelly, 2.4-10-10-0-0-5-2; G. L. Weir, 21-4-40-1.

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## Mid-day Sun Beats Sansprite, Also Owned by Woman

(By CAPTAIN HEATH)

London, June 3. Yesterday's Coronation year Derby was well and truly won by Mid-day Sun, a 100-7 chance, ridden by Michael Beary trained by Fred Butters and owned in partnership by Mrs. G. B. Miller and her mother, Mrs. Talbot. Mrs. Talbot's Sansprite (100-1) was second a length and a half away, and at a similar distance behind there came the Aga Khan's Le Grand Duc (100-9).

A bunch of horses disputed fourth place, but in the end Perifox was officially given that berth. Others who finished almost in line with the American were Snowfall, Goya II, Le Bambino, Scarlet Plume, Solfo and Full Sail.

Their Majesties and Queen Mary, who got a grand reception from the largest crowd I can remember seeing at Epsom, witnessed a fine race, worthily won by an owner, trainer and jockey who had not previously tasted the sweets of a major Epsom success.

Mid-day Sun did not take up the running until about a quarter of a mile from home, but from that point Michael had but to keep his mount going. Sansprite strove gallantly and so did the hard-driven Le Grand Duc, but it was all of no avail, for the winner had too much in hand and proved himself a genuine stayer.

Fairford and Renardo made the early running. Steve, drawn No. 1 on the latter, seeing to it that he got a fine start. But his mount could not go the pace of the others and Fairford, as I had anticipated was not good enough.

**SANSPRITE'S CHALLENGE**  
One who ever held a good position was Goya II, and in the straight it was he and Perifox who looked as though they would fight out the issue, but both weakened before the storming run which Beary produced on Mid-day Sun, and even the winner was for a moment seriously threatened by Sansprite.

It was just at this so important stage that Solfo got a bump which knocked him and put him clean out of the race; but this must not be read as an attempt on my part to make excuses for a horse who was probably beaten at the time.

In short, the story of this latest Derby is contained in the tussle between first and second in the last quarter mile, the collapse of Goya II, at the same point, the bump received by Solfo and the fine effort made by Perifox when all seemed lost.

How the American horse extricated himself from difficulties, or, rather, how Pat Beary managed it must be written down as one of the best achievements of the race.

## Boxer's Teeth Forced Into Palate

Many a time ringfighters have observed the gruesome spectacle of a badly hurt boxer spitting out a dislodged tooth or two. The Times of May 28 tells the reverse story of a man caught such a crushing blow that his teeth, knocked from his gums, were embedded in his palate by the force of the punch. It happened in a preliminary to the main Harringway bout on May 27 between Peter Kano and Welas, an Austrian with a good reputation for the fast of two light-heavyweights, Eddie Maguire, of South Africa, and Dave McCleav, who had fought evenly for three rounds. In one of Maguire's rushing assaults, McCleav took a hard right to the face and there opened his mouth wide, signifying an apologetic retirement. Examination in his corner showed that several teeth had been uprooted and embedded in the palate.

## SHANGHAI BOY'S ATHLETIC SUCCESS

IN ENGLAND

The contention that the Shanghai Boy can hold his own in athletics against some of the best at home, is upheld in recent news of the excellent progress of Bobbie Roach, son of R. B. Roach, the well known local sportsman and former O. C. of the Armoured Car Company, bears testimony to this. Bobbie Roach, the sixteen-year-old son of R. B. Roach, left Shanghai in April 1936 to wind up his schooling in England with the intention of going in for electrical engineering. Before leaving Shanghai he won the cup presented by Sir Allan Mossop for the best all-round athlete in the Cathedral School for the season 1935-36, also taking the Rowing Club Cup for the school swimming championship. He was particularly noted for his ability on the track and at swimming.

**INTER-SCHOOL SUCCESS**  
Upon taking his place at Palmer School, Grays, Essex, he immediately distinguished himself, and was selected to represent his school at the Barking Abbey Championship. In this open contest to representatives of a number of schools, he won the 100 metres open championship in 11 sec. As a result of this success he was asked to run in an invitation open contest at the White City, and placed third against some of the finest youngsters in the country. Only two feet separated the first three boys. Reference to his ability was made mention of by Joe Binks, the ex-holder of the British Mile Record, and well-known press-correspondent. It would seem that he has the makings of a fine athlete.

**SOCCER CAP AS WELL**  
In his own school sports, Roach won the 100 yards, 220, high jump, and long jump, and immediately secured his soccer cap for the School senior XI. At cricket he was asked to take out for the School third team and proved his worth to such an extent that he was immediately promoted to the first XI where he is considered a very useful bowler.

Regarded in Shanghai as a very promising swimmer for his age, Roach has not furthered his swimming record, as he has been told to concentrate on running. He is considered a very possible champion in the short distance events, and swimming might impair his chances there.

## RACING DRIVER'S DEATH CRASH

BROADSIDE SKID OF 60 YARDS

Practising "Round The Houses" Dash

Douglas (I.O.M.), June 3. A local Brooklands racing driver, P. F. Jucker, was killed early today when his golden Alfa racer crashed during practice for Thursday's R.A.C. "Round-the-Houses" Race.

While on his fourth practice lap of the four-mile circuit through the streets of Douglas he went into the sharp corner at Onchan too fast and the car skidded broadside up an escape road.

At the end of a 60-yard slide it crashed into an iron electric standard, and the driver was flung sideways against the standard, striking his head.

Police and race-officials rushed to help him, and he was taken to hospital. He died soon afterwards.

Jucker, who lived at Hindhead, Surrey, was 31 and unmarried. He and his car were well-known on many road-racing circuits. **EIGHT CARS MISSING**  
Only 14 of the 22 cars officially entered for Thursday's race turned out for practice this morning. Two of the Italian Maseratis which were coming over from the Continent especially for this event were held up at Dover due to Customs formalities. The E.R.A. which Lord Howe was to drive has been scratched, as Lord Howe has not yet fully recovered from the injuries he received in an accident at Brooklands a month ago. Freddy Dixon's "Dixon Special", one of the race's two dark horses, had

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## HANDICAPPING OF RACE PONIES CRITICISED BY SHANGHAI WRITER

MYSTERIES OF WEIGHT PER INCHES OF SCALE

A correspondent raises an issue which deserves close attention, for it deals with one of the most annoying features of racing in China—its handicapping system, or rather lack of system, writes C. W. Tombs in a recent issue of the Shanghai Times. Signing himself "Newcomer," our correspondent takes exception to the dim distant past of weighting ponies as per inches according to a scale, the mysteries of which I have never yet been able to unravel, and which is doubtless something of a deep mystery to even old racing hands in the East. On giving the matter a little study both from a theoretical and practical point of view, one is constrained to wonder greatly at the mentality of those who were responsible for this remarkable rule, and to question strongly the advisability of retaining it.

Who, for instance would deny that 13 hands Radiant Morn last year at least was better than any 13.3 hand pony that galloped the green turf of any of Shanghai's three tracks? Yet because Radiant Morn weighs only 13 hands, his owner has the privilege of starting him at 152 pounds weight for inches against a field that could never get within sight of him. That is an argument against the weight for inches system, from a practical point of view, and even more damning. There is nothing to stop an unscrupulous owner from raising through the whole of Manchuria in search of doubtful "ponies," selecting a bunch of 13-handers suspected of Arabian blood, and knocking the bottom out of racing all the way from Tientsin to Hongkong.

**HAZARDING THE PUNTERS**  
There are many admitted difficulties in the way of establishing a handicapping system satisfactory to all parties, but it would be difficult to work out a system more likely to be a success than the one which prevails. Classified that which prevails, the handicapper, designed to even up the races, led to even greater confusion among the fraternity, and supporters of the Shanghai turf have become heartily sick and tired of attempting to keep up with the acrobatical handicapping one witnesses as class pony moves from class to class, with his weight up to this reason and down for that. Indeed a punter would be a master of mathematics as well as a normally observant man to be able to place his wager with a measure of certainty that he is not backing the wrong pony. Form, the customary measuring stick, is rendered useless for this reason.

"The newcomer to Shanghai must indeed be bewildered by the staggering array of figures which surround a humble Mongolian pony so soon as he makes his appearance on the track, and those who read weights for the first time and then compare them with past performances must come to the conclusion that Shanghai's racing-brotherhood to a man is ripe for the bughouse. As things go, that would not be a bad conclusion, but so long as there is hope that a little sanity prevails there is no reason why it should not be employed to some effect. In the right direction would be a revision of the handicapping system, and the sooner the better. In this connection there is little wrong to find in the suggestion put forward by our correspondent in arriving at a blanket weight and adding or cutting later on according to performance."

## BACK TO THE SUBS

"This brings us back to an old favourite of mine, sub-griffon racing of everything but sub-griffon racing in Shanghai, and with the spring season almost ended, perhaps there could be no better time to revive the idea. Racing was at its best in the days when owners could "be found at a penny a dozen, and the moral is obvious. When a man has a real interest in seeing a friend's colours come in, or the delight of leading his own pony home a winner, then he attends the race-track. But who, apart from the man with racing in his veins, cares to go along week after week and witness a parade of some big owner's string, generally with a single jockey in the saddle? It is this sort of thing which has taken the sport dangerously near the professional line in Shanghai and which must, unless racing actually becomes professional here, eventually ruin the game. Witness the marked joy among a small but enthusiastic section when racing was revived at Kiangwan and a few of the younger riders and owners began to win events. It is certain that if some of the bigger owners were to win less, racing would be a great deal more popular than it is to-day."

The I.R.C. is going through a difficult period at present, but indications are that the Kiangwan club will survive, although I doubt if they can do much rebuilding this Spring apart from the added interest likely to be aroused by the Inter-Club meeting. This meeting, which should be regarded as a test case for the I.R.C., as if the Club does not obtain sufficient support on such an occasion to pay the bills, then a closure is almost a certainty. Such a disaster would be regrettable indeed, for as I have remarked before, it is much more pleasant to race at Kiangwan than in Shanghai.

## NATIONAL SWIMMING TITLES

WAINWRIGHT IN TRAINING

After a long illness lasting throughout the winter, N. Wainwright, England's greatest freestyle swimmer and holder of the English 220 yards and 440 yards championships and records, is now training for the defence of his national titles at Scarborough in July. Wainwright has been doing only light training for two months, but has now been passed fit.

Wainwright has also entered for the English half-mile and mile championships, both of which he held in 1935. He was beaten in the half-mile last year by his greatest rival, J. Leivers, who reached the finals of the Olympic 400 metres and 1,500 metres. Leivers also won the mile in record time. Wainwright did not defend that time. Although he has entered for the mile, Wainwright is not certain whether he will swim or not. It is a hard race, and is taking place on July 3, so that he may not be quite ready by then.

Southern swimmers are eagerly looking forward to their trip to Paris when the Empire Swimming Club meet a team of combined Paris clubs in a swimming and water polo match at the Piscine St. Louis. All the swimmers invited to represent the Empire Club have accepted, with the exception of F. Dove, the national sprint champion. Dove injured a thigh last month, and does not expect to do any serious competitive swimming before the national championships in July. The Empire team will also include a diver, not yet chosen; the club are waiting to hear whether the diving contest will be from the springboard or from the high board, before making their selection.

C. Deane, four times winner of the Welsh long-distance championship, is not defending the title this year. The race falls on the same date of the English long-distance championship, which he hopes to obtain this year. The Penguin S.C., Deane's club, wrote to the Welsh A.S.A. asking them if the date could be altered, but the reply stated that no alteration could be made.

H. Smith, the 1932 Olympic Games highboard diving champion, who made a successful tour of Britain last year, will be here again this summer. Smith arrives in June for a tour which will last about three months. He was very popular with the British public last year, although he was only here for six weeks. This will be Smith's third visit to England. Both the national visits were curtailed, as he was under contract to the German Swimming Federation to train their divers for the Olympic Games.

## BRITON WINS BIG CAR RACE

Berlin, June 3. The British racing motorist, C. H. Martin, upheld the reputation of British light cars by finishing a quarter of a mile ahead of his German and Italian rivals in the 1½ litre class in the Avus Grand Prix this afternoon over a 90-mile course.

Martin drew ahead with ease and made his fastest lap at 110 m.p.h.

R. Seaman, young British hope of the Mercedes team, finished fourth in the principal race of the day for cars over 1,500 c.c. among 17 big Mercedes, Auto-Union and Maserati over a course of 90 miles. He had a thrilling duel at the finish with the German, Rosemeyer.

Seaman would have been better placed but was the only competitor who had to stop to change cars. The new German racer, Hermann Lang, won this race in a Mercedes, with a maximum speed for one 12-mile lap of 107 m.p.h.

The German Mercedes and Auto-Union cars duelled for first place in every heat leaving the Maserati far behind.

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# TO-MORROW'S LAWN BOWLS LEAGUE FIXTURES AND SELECTED TEAMS

## CLUB DE RECREIO MEET THE CRAIGENGOWER SEVERAL IMPORTANT MATCHES

Chief interest in to-morrow's first division lawn bowls league programme is centred in the match between Craigenower and Club de Recreio at Happy Valley. Recreio are at present unbeaten, but they have experienced more than one narrow escape and it will not come as a surprise if they lose their 100 per cent. record in this match.

Kowloon Dockers, who stand second in the league table, appear to have an easier task. They visit Kowloon Cricket Club, where the game appears to be suffering a period of depression.

Here is the complete fixture list and some of the teams selected to play in the matches.

The following are the League matches down for decision to-morrow:

**FIRST DIVISION**  
Civil Service C.C. v. Kowloon B.G.C.  
Kowloon C.C. v. Kowloon Dock R.C.  
Craigenower C.C. v. Club de Recreio  
Police R.C. v. Hongkong F.C.

**SECOND DIVISION**  
Kowloon B.G.C. v. Kowloon C.C.  
Talkoo R.C. v. Craigenower C.C.  
Club de Recreio v. Hongkong F.C.  
Police R.C. v. Indian R.C.

**THIRD DIVISION**  
Kowloon F.C. v. Craigenower C.C.  
Hongkong F.C. v. Civil Service C.C.  
Yacht Club v. Kowloon Tong R.C.  
H.K. Electric R.C. v. Club de Recreio

**TEAMS SELECTED**  
The following players have been selected to represent the various teams in the League matches to-morrow:

**FIRST DIVISION**  
Civil Service C.C.—S. Eccleshall, L. R. Whant, A. W. Grimmett, J. F. McGowan (skip), R. P. Phillips, H. Strange, C. Strange and J. Hollidge (skip); P. E. Knight, J. Gellatly, J. Deakin and S. Handley (skip).

Kowloon B.G.C.—W. L. Walker, R. O. Read, J. C. Gill and C. B. Hosking (skip); S. A. Bright, J. L. Tetley, S. Armstrong and L. Guy (skip); A. S. Russell, W. Russell, E. W. Lines and G. H. Sherriff (skip).

Kowloon C.C.—W. Mulcahy, J. W. Brown, E. Kern and J. M. Jack (skip); H. Overy, J. Smith, A. E. Silkestone and E. C. Fincher (skip); Geo. Lee, T. A. Madar, R. G. Craig and F. Goodwin (skip).

Craigenower C.C.—L. C. R. Souza, M. A. R. Souza, A. E. Contes and B. W. Bradbury (skip); A. S. Gomes, A. A. Ruzack, A. M. Omar and U. M. Omar (skip); J. S. Landolt, V. N. Atienza, C. S. Rossetti and R. Bana (skip).

Club de Recreio.—J. A. Luz, F. X. Soares, J. E. Noronha and R. F. Luz (skip); C. F. Remedios, C. E. Marques, C. G. Silva and F. X. M. da Silva (skip); L. J. Silva, L. F. Xavier, F. V. V. Ribeiro and H. A. Alves (skip).

Police R.C.—L. Glendinning, F. E. E. Booker, G. Moss and J. Shepherd (skip); N. B. Fraser, S. R. Farlow, J. R. McWalter and A. E. Carey (skip); E. G. Post, W. Moir, W. Dall and G. Perkins (skip).

Hongkong F.C.—R. P. Shaw, G. Duncan, E. Tuck and A. Hyde-Loy (skip); E. S. Carter, J. Russell, N.

Yacht Club.—G. S. Achbutt, D. J. Fraser, G. E. Costello, B. E. Maughan (skip); R. H. Wild, F. H. King, A. Stevenson, E. S. Abraham (skip); A. Murdoch, J. Davies, A. W. Brown, K. S. Robertson (skip).

Civil Service C.C.—J. R. Pengelly, G. F. Bentley, J. Cook and H. Westlake (skip); M. E. Purvis, J. Faro, W. R. Hillier and M. N. Rakusen (skip); W. Cullip, J. R. Carr, L. A. Collyer and E. W. Simmonds (skip).

Kowloon Tong.—C. Mose, J. N. Wong, W. J. Howard and A. H. Basto (skip); J. L. Stephens, H. Y. Hsu, A. Spary and B. Basto (skip); Dr. Asger, T. K. Lim, H. Gittins and S. J. Houghton (skip).

Club de Recreio.—C. M. Silva, A. M. Xavier, M. A. Carvalho and H. A. de B. Botelho (skip); J. O. Remedios, O. P. Remedios, G. M. P. Remedios, C. R. Roza-Pereira (skip); A. F. Noronha, C. E. Xavier, C. M. S. Alves and J. M. S. Rosario (skip).

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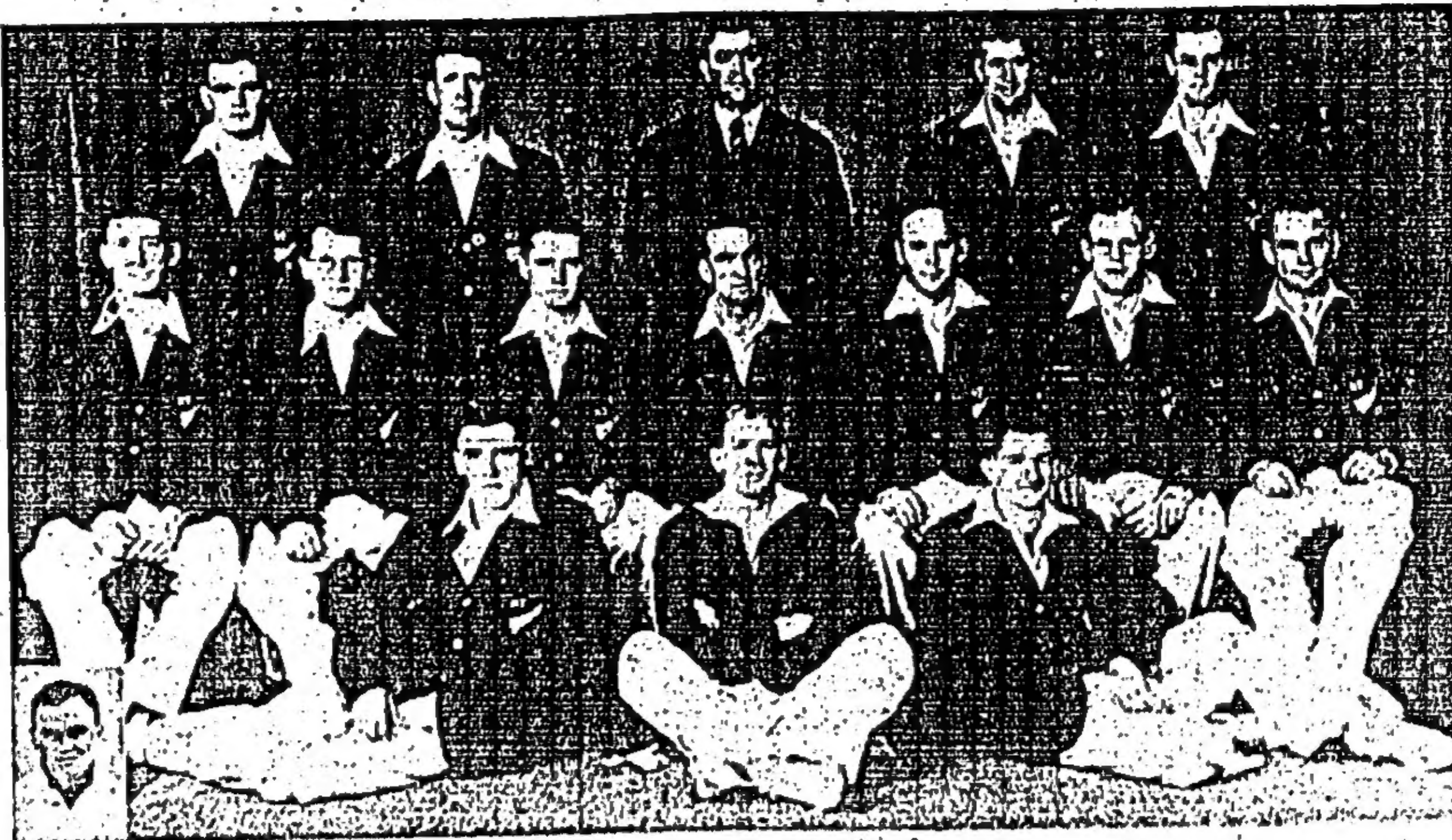
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## NEW ZEALAND TEST CRICKETERS



New Zealand's team for the first Test match which starts to-morrow will be drawn from the above players, who are as follows: From left, back row: W. N. Carson (Auckland), J. A. Dunning (Otago), Mr. T. C. Lowry (manager), J. Cowie (Auckland), W. A. Hadlee (Canterbury), Middle row: J. R. Lawson (Wellington), D. A. R. Moloney (Wellington), H. G. Vivian (Auckland, vice-captain), M. L. Page (Canterbury, captain), G. L. Weir (Auckland), J. L. Kerr (Canterbury), A. W. Roberts (Canterbury), Front row: M. P. Donnelly (Wellington), E. W. Tindill (Wellington), W. M. Wallace (Auckland). Inset: N. Gallichan (Manawatu), whose last-minute selection was made on the urgent recommendation of the captain, vice-captain and manager.

## THESE "AUSSIE" GIRLS ARE GOOD

### Fine Cricket Brings Victory In First Match of the Tour

By FRED DARTNELL

Gravesend: Australia beat Kent by 83 runs

London, June 3.

While Mid-Day Sun was making a hot pace for the field at Epsom yesterday, the cricket daughters of Australia, securing the lure of the Derby, gave a good account of themselves over the Bat and Ball Course at Gravesend.

In their first match of the tour they hit up 256 runs for three wickets and then declared. Their Kent rivals made a bad start, losing three wickets for 35, and, in spite of bold batting by D. Archdale and the two sisters Blaker, were dismissed for 173.

These Australian girls, as they wish us to call them, play the game in a breezy spirit, and with a technical skill that makes them most attractive. Their short-sleeved skirts and their stockings are the only concessions made to their sex. They wear two pads and no other form of protection when at the wicket and the local score-board, entering into the spirit of the occasion, had "batsman" printed above the individual scores with the corresponding number of runs.

It was the real thing, all the time. These lassies, so gay and nimble in the field, made the fewest possible mistakes, gathering the ball with accuracy and backing each other up with admirable fidelity.

The batting was excellent and remarkable for strokes that kept the ball along the grass.

Occasionally there was a high hit and then one wondered where the ladies got the power from to send the ball so far. A grand, one-handed catch, high up at mid-on, was made by Miss McHenry, who specialises in the "silly" position. It would have brought the house down at Lord's and the Gravesend spectators, curious rather than critical, cheered the catcher, who, girl-like, did not conceal her pleasure at having got rid of such a dangerous batsman as J. Blaker.

**TWO BIG STANDS**  
The first Australian pair put up 102 runs for the first wicket in just over the hour, before B. Blaker, off her sister's bowling, caught Peggy Antonio out for a glorious 52, which included seven 4s. Peggy is the baby of the side, very dark and petite, with a magnetic attack on the bowling, while her skill with the googly, has earned for her the name of "The

Blaker."

Mrs. M. Peden, the captain, who put up 40 before being bowled by K. Doman, the skipper of the Kent team, is also very dark and suntanned. She made good strokes on the leg side, but Doman, who bowled a fastish left-hand, beat her by a difference in pace.

The big unfinished stand, adding 132 runs, was made by Kate Smith and A. Walsh.

The former played for Queensland when she was 14. That was six years ago, and she is now a most accomplished right-handed wielder of the bat.

She bowls left-handed, with an exquisitely smooth action and a real command of length. She made 74 not out in an hour and a half and hit seven 4s, as did her partner, who is rather a midget figure. Miss Walsh knocked up a merry 68, and the only blemishes occurred in one over from Miss Luffman when she gave two chances of being stumped with her score at 42.

Molly Flaherty is the fast bowler of the side. She is tall, well built, and takes a run of 12 strides to the wicket. She clean bowled Richards and Luffman, the latter with a full-blooded yorker, and rattled out the tail-enders so successfully that she finished up with seven wickets for 33.

There was quite a good attendance after lunch. The Mayor of Gravesend, Mr. H. A. Hodge, came, accompanied by his gold chain of office and his footman in uniform. Frank Woolley was also an appreciative spectator.

**AUSTRALIA**  
M. Peden b K. Doman not out 40  
P. Antonio b K. Smith not out 28  
Blaker b J. Flaherty 52  
Blaker b J. Flaherty 17  
H. Pritchard not out 3 wickets  
Bowling—K. Doman 2 for 57, J. Blaker 1 for 40.

**KENT**  
A. Cattell b K. Doman not out 12  
M. Richards b M. Flaherty 8  
M. Luffman b J. Flaherty 12  
D. Archdale b J. Flaherty 68  
J. Blaker b Flaherty 17  
B. Smith b Flaherty 30  
D. Blaker b W. b Flaherty 14  
Holmes 25  
Total 173

Bowling—M. Flaherty 7 for 33, K. Smith 2 for 24.

## DEATH CRASH RACING DRIVER'S

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not arrived in time for practice, while Freddy Dixon himself was pleading, through his counsel, at Surrey Quarter Sessions, at Kingston, for the postponement until Monday of his trial on a charge of dangerous driving.

Of the total of 172 laps covered by the drivers in practice this morning, Pat Fairhead, in an E.R.A., did the fastest, covering the circuit in 3min. 2sec. at an average speed of 77.17 m.p.h.

**B. BIRA'S TWO ENTRIES**  
"B. Bira," the brilliant young Siamese driver, who is entered to drive two cars, one a French Delage and the other a British E.R.A., practised in both cars this morning.

It is considered probable that he will choose the British car for the actual race.

Another car which had not arrived was C. E. C. Martin's Martin-J.A.P., an unorthodox design of his own manufacture with four motor-cycle engines coupled together.

This was to be its first race, and the probability that it will not run removes an unknown quantity of great interest.

**MANILA SHARES**  
The following opening quotations and closing business done quotations of the morning session were received by Swan, Culbertson & Fritz from their Manila office:

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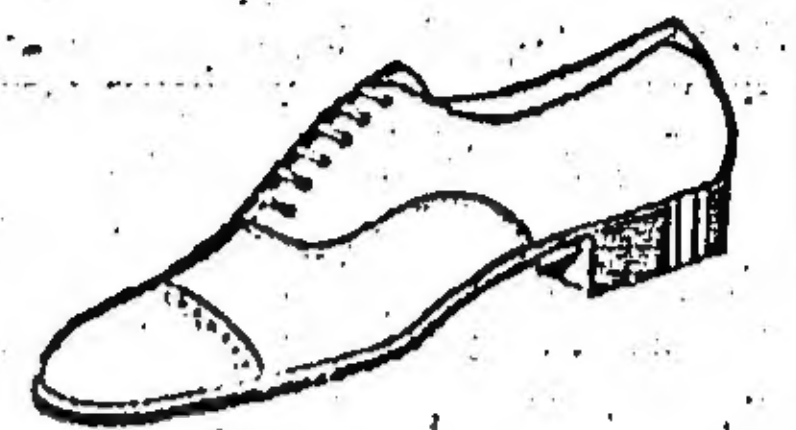
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**U.S. WARSHIP ARRIVES**  
The U.S.S. Mindanao which arrived yesterday and stayed the Commodore will stay in harbour a few days, as will also the Asheville.

The Russian floating dock which is being towed to Vladivostok, will probably leave harbour to-morrow with its escort of one steamer and two tugs.

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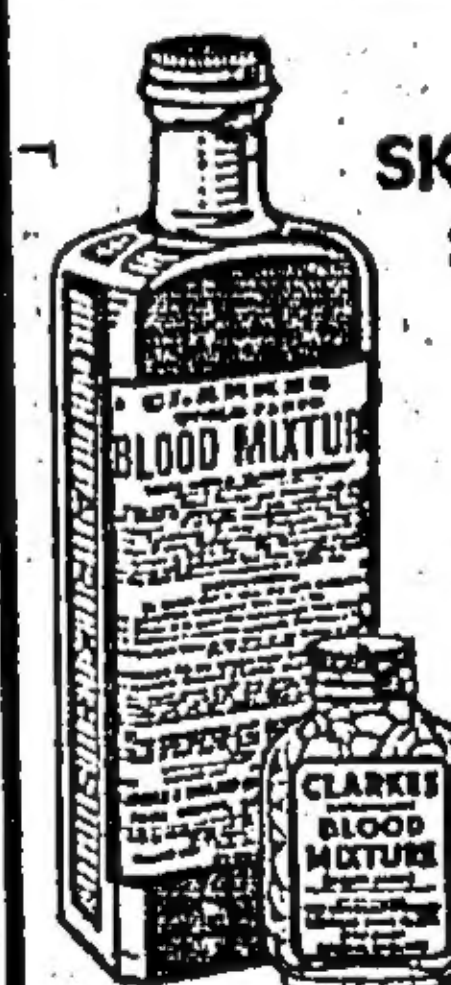
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## Friday, A Parrot Of Parts

He belonged to the genus *kakotee* sanguineus, the Little Corella, that in its myriads makes its home on the wide plains of Central Queensland. It was brought to us one sultry Friday afternoon of September, hence the name bestowed on him. One of the stockmen, standing precariously on his saddle, had reached a hardy hand up into a hollow in an overhanging limb of a collabah tree, drawn forth the late fledgling, and carried him home 20 miles in his hat as a gift for the children.

He was "an ugly youngster. For some time he had to be hand fed. Bread soaked in water and rolled into soft pellets was thrust by small fingers well down his gaping pink gullet. Unless his new diet was continually replenished he kept up an incessant rasping cry accompanied by a see-sawing motion of head and wings.

He thrived and grew apace though not in beauty. Good looks were not his dower. His figure was squat and his tail too short for grace, and he walked with a waddling gait.

His plumage was a chalky white relieved on the underside of his crest and at the base of his beak by slight sanguinary touches much the colour of the fruit of a blood orange. The primaries and underfeathers were a pale yellow. Around each bright and bead-like eye was a circle of bare purplish skin, lending him a preternaturally aged air. His beak was sharp and very strong.

He was plumed, but otherwise was given full freedom, and he roamed happily about the precincts and the wide, flagged verandas of the station homestead, maintaining friendliest relations with the two kelpie dogs and keeping the housewifely entourage at bay. He was everywhere, and of blandishments he was never weary and he always gave an enthusiastic welcome to visitors, who made much of him.

Despite the dark reputation of his species, on the whole he was mischievous. He was a patient bird and early learned to walk within the law. But of one vice no amount of punishment could cure him. In the garden he took no interest except in the bedding-out of young plants—and then only if he viewed the actual operation. This aroused a perfect demon of destruction within him. Too astute to make a public demonstration he bided his time, but the prep of next dawn saw him at work and every tender seedling ruthlessly uprooted. It became the custom to rig up a cage to keep him from upturning flowerpots when transplanting.

For decades his life followed its even tenor. Then one Christmas the plucking of his wing was forgotten and he learned to fly. His joy in his new attainment was so manifest that no one thought of condemning him to a cage. From the first tentative flutterings about the homestead he essayed bolder and yet bolder flights, following the children on their rides about the paddocks or vanishing alone for hours at a stretch.

Bred in captivity, we feared harm for him in that sparsely watered country or from the wild droves of his own kind, but somehow he always managed to stage a safe return. A teamster brought him back once, ignominiously enclosed in a wooden box out of which he had just gnawed his way when he arrived.

And Cobb and Co.'s mailman retrieved him, extremely exhausted, from a gatepost 40 miles from home. Thereafter he made a practice of meeting the coach on a weekly run, flying up to the Mail Change where the passengers lunched and fresh horses were taken on, travelling back inside.

But the red-letter day of his life was the finish-up of shearing that September when some 50 shearer, roustabouts, and spare hands were standing outside the shed waiting to be paid off. Passing from man to man and from group to group, being cajoled and caressed to the top of his bent, he tasted bliss indeed, and in his turn evoked no small measure of admiration, more than one man asking, as he took his pay, "This parrot ain't for sale, is 'e, Boss?"

This marked the apogee of Friday's career—and its close. What fate befell him we never learned. The quiet depths of the following night were split by an elderly screech from the tall pepper tree that for 11 years had been his roosting place. Investigation revealed no trace of tragedy, not so much as one white feather to point a trail; nor did we ever see him again.

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# LET'S DROP in on . . Budapest . .

THE Opera House in Budapest, crowded, excited. On all sides friends greeting one another loudly across the heads of others.

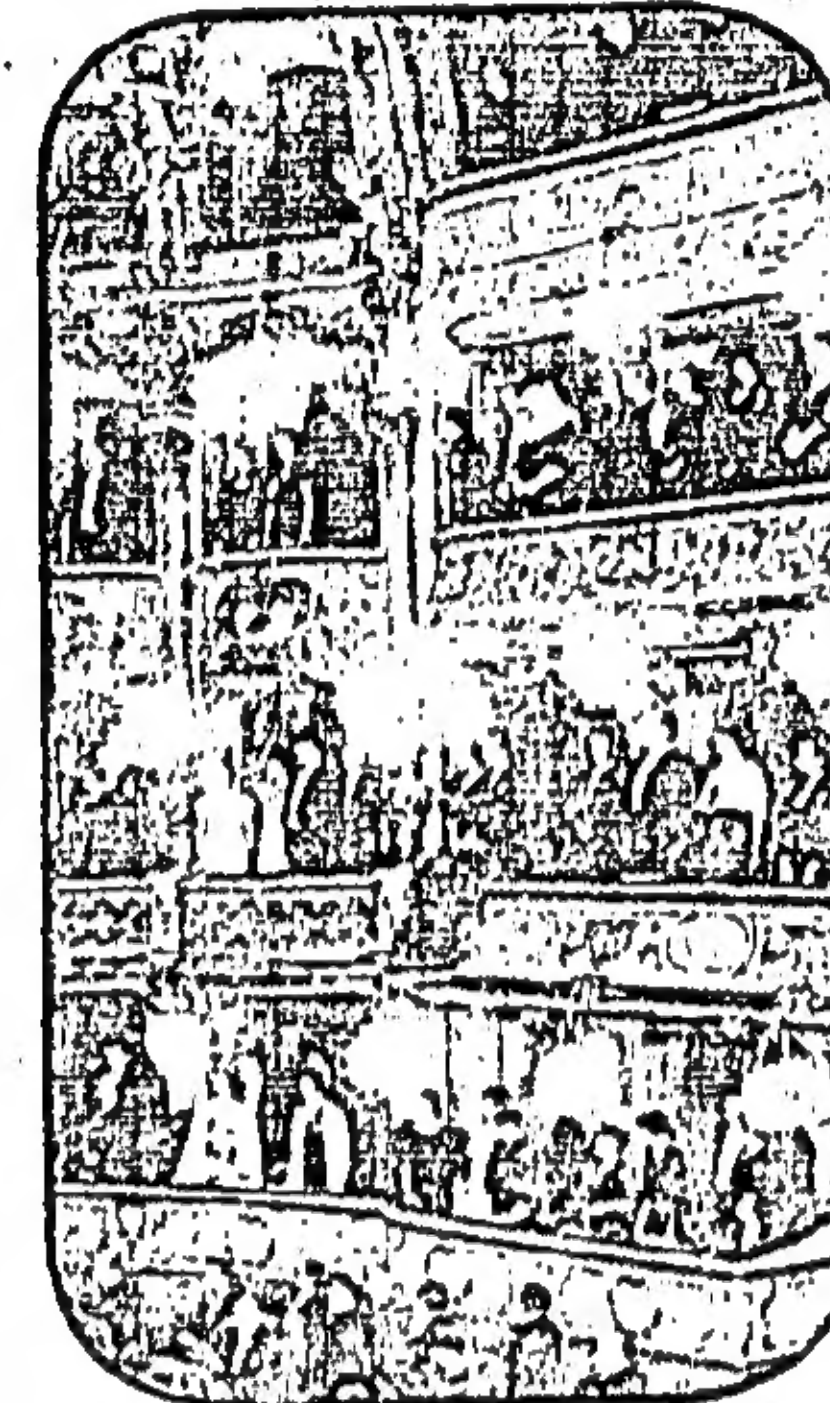
Uhely Janos, my neighbour in the stalls, was speaking in his surprising English.

"Of course, indeed, the so wonderful aviations. To think you were in London this day—hisi!"

The lights had gone down, and Uhely gave himself up to enjoyment of the Magyar opera.

"Tamlaslek." I found it dull and incomprehensible. When I left, in the interval, Uhely elected to come, too, saying that he was disappointed in the performance.

"I should like to see you London," he said, as he walked



"The Opera House . . crowded, excited."

through the icy streets; "but here conditions are bad. We are allowed to take only twenty pengos out of the country—enough to live for one day. In summer come the English here, and they are rich. Our country is poor because it was cut to pieces after the war."

Uhely Janos—my neighbour in the stalls—invited me to his club, where the gaming table seemed strangely busy for a

—To-day's Thought—  
WE ask advice, but we mean approval.  
—C. C. COLTON.

poor country. In an atmosphere of red plush and cigar smoke he talked about Budapest, the famous medicinal baths, the military aerodromes that were being laid out around the city.

"Next week you would have arrived at a different landing ground. That one is being taken over by the government. The menace in Europe is great. We must do something."

Uhely's chief concern was the money he was not allowed to take out of the country.

"The most we can manage is a week-end in Vienna."

## Vienna . .

FOR the next few days it snowed all the time.

No aeroplane could arrive or leave, so I went to Vienna by the Diesel-electric train which does the journey in three hours.

It hurtles across the frontier into Austria, although all other trains are stopped, and customs officials await you at the other end.

My friend Uhely came for a "week-end." I met him at the station by chance, and he joined me in my compartment. He wore a pained expression and walked apparently with difficulty.

"Have you hurt yourself?" I asked concernedly.

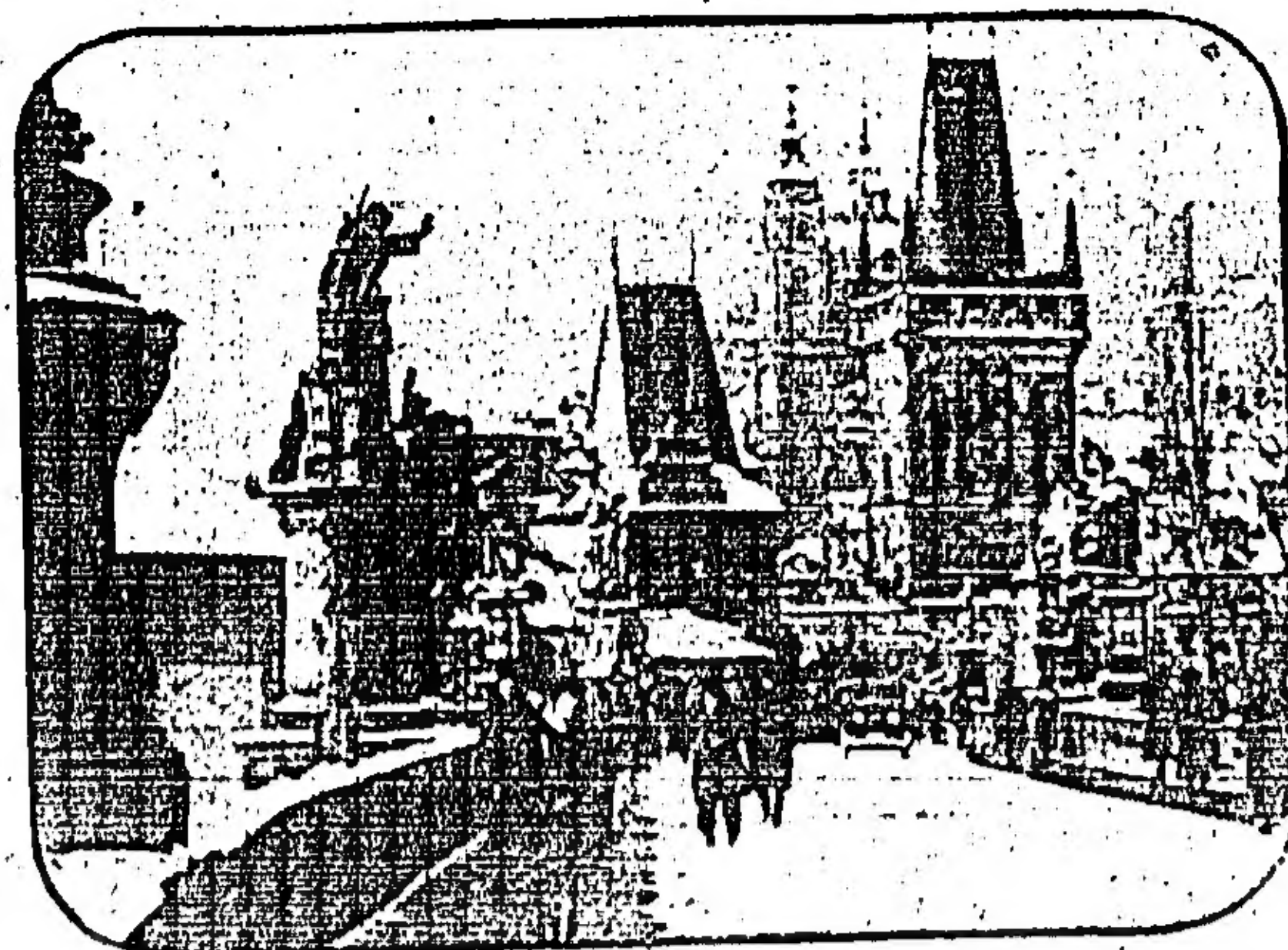
"Not yet," he answered solemnly, "but two hundreds of pengos make a shoe fit tight!"

He passed through the customs formalities with admirable nonchalance, and walked out into the streets of Vienna with his small fortune undiscovered. I saw him no more, but some days later I found a note from him at my hotel: "Gute Reise. Auf Wiedersehn. Gruss. Uhely Janos."

He must have passed a very long week-end, and I wondered how much he, or any of his compatriots, was worried by the money restrictions of the country.

Vienna, like Budapest, lay under a thick mantle of snow. Frequently I took refuge in the comfortable cafes, but living is expensive there and a cup of coffee costs 1s. 6d.

I had expected to find much excitement over the presence of the Duke of Windsor. Nothing of the sort. When, for instance, I met the brothers Johann and Karl Huber, in the Sacher, I was completely misled.



"Here the snow was turning to slush."

"You cannot imagine how glad people are that he is back," they said.

"Who?"

"Well, Otto, of course—the monarch."

"But is he back?" I asked, astonished.

"Well, not exactly in fact, perhaps," Johann replied, "but it's only a matter of weeks at most."

And at this Karl nodded knowingly, as though he and his brother had settled it between them. They enthused about the young Habsburg for a long time, applauded his courage, bearing, obstinacy and strength.

"He takes after his mother," Karl said. "We need him here in Vienna to bring the people together. He must come back."

Not once, I noticed, did they make any reference to the Duke of Windsor, nor did anyone else with whom I spoke in Vienna. His presence near Vienna seemed to mean no more to the Viennese than the presence of Halle Selassie in England means to the English.

## Prague . .

THE aerodrome at Prague is upon a kind of ledge in the fast sloping country, so that you arrive abruptly from a height of two thousand feet without any apparent descent.

Here the snow was turning to slush, and in the suburbs the people plodded through the dingy streets with an air of resignation. Nearer the centre of the city, though, the neon lights were glowing brightly, and the

By  
**J. Murray  
Smith**

main thoroughfares proved to be modern and pleasant.

I stayed at an astonishing hotel, the Axa—astonishing both for its democracy and its efficiency. The number of guests seemed to be small, but it was always crowded by young men and women who used it as a kind of club, and came to swim in the luxurious pool or exercise in the fine gymnasium.

It was while watching the swimmers from the restaurant level that I became aware of Karel Novak. Portly and elderly, he regarded me from the adjoining table, a glass of lager in his hand.

"They must enjoy themselves, these young people," he said, "while there is yet time."

"Time?"

"Why, yes," Novak came closer with a movement of his chair. "You are English, are you not? You do not perhaps appreciate our position. Do you know that we live in fear?"

"Fear—of what?"

"Of war, of death. You must know that we are menaced every day by Hitler. We are a small people, hated by the Germans. What shall we do? The Soviet are our friends, but they can do nothing after the event."

"Who knows? Perhaps within a year this fine new building will be bombed to destruction, and the rest of Prague also. We have to face up to the facts. We are so easily within reach—it would need only one visit from those German bombers."

## Leipzig . .

I DESCENDED upon Leipzig out of a grey mist and laid out my valuables for examination with frozen fingers. On a door in the customs house was the notice in German: "Here you may only give the greeting, 'Heil Hitler,' but it was dirty and frayed."

I met Muller in an ordinary way. He walked with a pronounced limp that must have been painful, yet he offered to carry a small handcase for me.

Yes, he was out of work. Just one of a vast army.

The same thing from Schulz, his friend. The Nazis had deprived them of their jobs by driving out their Jewish employer. There was nothing they could do.

Muller, with his limp, was no good for putting into uniform, to collect for the "Winter Holy" fund, even if he fancied going around the cafes and bars with a tray of tickets and a stern expression. As for Schulz, his case was hopeless. His grandfather had been a Jew.

Still, they cheered up a little and drank a glass of cheap wine with me.

"Only the munition makers and the instrument people are busy," he said bitterly. "Most of us go hungry. We live on air and fine speeches."

He nodded significantly over his shoulder. Against the wall sat several strapping men in uniform, a study in young manhood—flushed by the adoration of plump and perspiring frau-

lens.

fallen from the walls and might have escaped, if one of the incendiaries had not wantonly made the sign of the cross with his sword by slashing through it, right and left."

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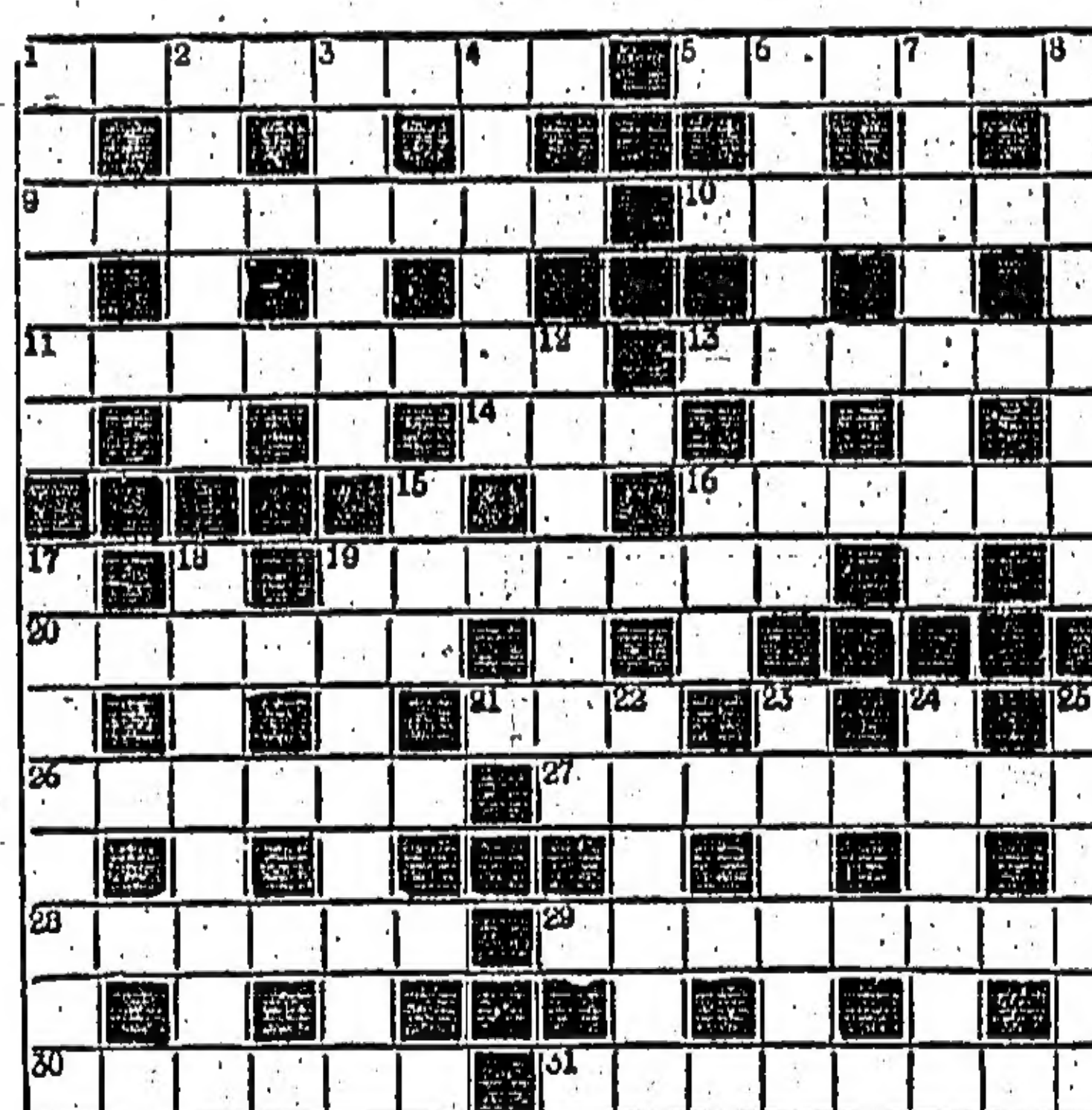
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- Daddy (two words, 4 and 4).
- May avoid or lead to an accident.
- One trail might lead you in an easterly direction.
- One sort of expression.
- Made the flounder flounder.
- French general.
- 16 Across in his earlier days.
- Be contrite when just about shut up.
- Welsh town that has lost its way.
- Be agreeable!
- A tidy collection of cattle for one who looks after them.
- You may kick this up without hurting anybody, but don't kick the dust part.
- A boost and era might convey one way to get to U.S.A.
- Rates.
- To explore you must take a wide view.

### DOWN

- Easily, if it applies to a beating.
- A devotee with one in company represents the Pope.
- Sounds like a special bargain offer in salt, but very likely 'e knows.
- A mythological stable.
- When a poor fellow is in this, the tide may be turning any moment (two words, 2 and 5).

- Almond icing.
- House with water supply obviously inside.
- Go to the dictionary for a lesson in French about the team.
- More than half duff.
- Margaret's all right for a drink.
- Makes an offer, being in favour of attitudes.
- Good thing to have before a meal, or does it describe the Cockney drunkard?
- By no means impartial (hyphen, 3 and 5).
- Gender.
- Scatters shilling garments.
- Mortals grow old in establishment.
- Coming.

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## THE BATTLE for BILBAO—

"Newspaper" War Correspondent's

Account 100 Years Ago—

Strangely Similar Conditions

By  
**Leland Stowe**

BILBAO has been besieged for the fourth time in 102 years. Two volumes written a century ago by the *Morning Post* War Correspondent attached to the army of Don Carlos, pretender to the Spanish throne, portray in a fascinating manner to what an astonishing degree history has repeated itself.

In these volumes, which I stumbled upon in the New York City Public Library, Mr. Edward Bell Stephens narrates his personal experiences and observations as a Correspondent of the *Morning Post*, during the first Carlist War, and tells with illuminating detail how he covered the second siege of Bilbao from October to December, 1836.

Then, as now, the Basque people were divided. In the siege then, however, the great majority of the Basques were among the attacking forces, and fighting against the Madrid Government.

The opening sentences of the preface are startlingly applicable to contemporary events. It would be difficult to exaggerate the importance of the contest which is now carried on in Spain, he wrote. "That contest might have been, but it was not permitted to be, simply a civil war. The intermeddling of what are termed the 'free Governments of Western Europe,'" he continued, "has given to the struggle a new and most consequential character. England, France, and Portugal have committed themselves to the contest, and the first has expended blood and treasure to an enormous amount in hope of securing the ascendancy of one of the contending parties. . . . The peasants of the Basque provinces have now for four years defied the persevering exertions of the organized Government, supported as that Government has been by the

The discovery in the New York City Library of two volumes written by Mr. Edward Bell Stephens, *Morning Post* War Correspondent attached to the army of Don Carlos, the Spanish Pretender of 100 years ago, has enabled the writer of this article to reveal some striking parallels between the conditions at that time and those prevailing to-day.

resources of two of the most powerful nations in Europe."

Change "Free Governments" to the "Dictatorships of Central Europe," in place of England, France, and Portugal; reverse the role of the Basque provinces from supporting a rebel pretender to the throne to their present role as defenders of the Madrid Government—and Stephens' summary is strangely appropriate to-day.

As War Correspondent of the *Morning Post*, accredited to the Court of Don Carlos, Stephens covered the first period of the Carlist uprising against the Regent, Queen Maria Christina, widow of Ferdinand VII. To-day aerial bombs and machine guns have shattered the defence of Bilbao. When Mr. Stephens covered the war the attacking Carlists proudly relied upon a new marvel of destruction, a 13-inch brass mortar, cast at nearby Oñate. "Its fire opened on the town soon after sunrise and continued without intermission until six in the evening. Sixty-eight large shells and 130 grenades were thrown during the day." Yet Bilbao was not taken in the second Carlist siege, nor in the first

## 1836—1937

or third sieges of the Nineteenth Century.

Nor was the 1937 food blockade of Bilbao anything new to that hoary city of iron ore and stubborn humanity. Commenting on the short rations in Bilbao Stephens chronicles, "At this period Bilbao was in a wretched state; the garrison having no meat and reduced to a quarter pound of bread, the same of biscuit, an ounce of rice and two ounces of salt cod per day."

It seems that war is war, Spaniards are Spaniards, and Basques are Basques—proud, self-respecting, fiercely loving their independence, and honest to an amazing degree. Stephens wrote of the Basque troops, "They were perfectly careless of danger, wounds and death, yet docile and obedient; highly sensitive and jealous on the subjects of national honour and individual dignity; yet contentedly bearing privations of clothing, lodging, pay or diet which would make British troops fretful, insubordinate, pestiferous and useless. I have never heard them grumbling and I never saw a drunken or quarrelsome man amongst them. I left my knapsack, my portfolio, my clock, telescope, pocket flask, etc., in any hut or magazine that I found most convenient and nobody meddled with a single article. . . . In the pauses of war all were gay as larks; laughing, joking, card playing or singing a la gloria."

The wanton destruction of art treasures went on then as it does now. "On the 14th of August, 1834, a party of Urbanos from the adjoining town of Elbar, arriving at Ermuna, plundered and then set fire to the palace and five other houses, also the property of the Marquis de Valdepinia. A collection of paintings (perhaps the most valuable possessed by a subject in Spain), including some chefs-d'oeuvres of Titian, Murillo and one precious Biju, 'La Picta,' by Raphael, were all consumed or destroyed by the Christians. I saw the remains of one, 'The Descent from the Cross,' by Titian, which in the general confusion had







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## CARDINALS OVERTAKE NEW YORK

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New York, June 24. St. Louis Cardinals passed New York Giants in the National League race to-day and came on the heels of the leading Chicago Cubs. St. Louis whipped Brooklyn, thirteen to three, with 14 hits to 12. The Cardinals' play was more finished and their base-running perfect. Meanwhile, Chicago was avenging itself for yesterday's defeat at the hands of the Giants, and although each hit 13 the Cubs scored ten to five. Berger and Ott hit home runs for the Giants, and Herman gave one to the Cubs.

American League  
New York, June 24. Boston defeated Pittsburgh, nine to six, though out of the lead. Cincinnati, with homers by Halley and Myers, scored a six to four win over Philadelphia.

Chicago beat Philadelphia, seven to two. Lefty Grove of Boston shut out the Detroit Tigers, allowing nine hits but not a run, and the Red Sox scored nine on 13 hits. Cronin hit a homer. Washington won from Cleveland, eight to two.—Reuter.

## Nazi Fleet Augmented Off Spain

Italy Talks Of New  
"Urgent Necessity"

Gibraltar, June 24. Seven German warships passed Gibraltar in an easterly direction towards the Spanish coast to-day. The vessels consisted of one battle cruiser, one light cruiser and five destroyers. It is understood that they are relieving other German ships which have been on naval patrol duties.—Reuter.

ITALIAN PREPARATION  
Rome, June 24. A royal decree announces the constitution of a High Naval Command for Libya "in view of an absolute and urgent necessity."

The Command will have headquarters in Tripoli.—Reuter.

## Temperature Up Yesterday

Showery Weather  
Continues

Yesterday's maximum temperature, 85, was five degrees higher than that of Wednesday, according to Royal Observatory returns issued this morning. The minimum night temperature was 78. At 10 a.m. to-day, the reading was 83, with humidity of 90. The barometer reading was 29.61. Rainfall for the 24 hours ended at 10 a.m. to-day was 0.62-inch, bringing the year's total to 39 inches, against an average of 35.70. This morning's weather report reads: Pressure continues highest over the Pacific to the south-east of Japan. A shallow depression covers South China and the neighbouring seas. Local forecast: South and S.W. winds, moderate, fair to showery.

## STAMPING OUT GAMBLING

WU TEH-CHEN STARTS  
NEW CAMPAIGN

Canton, June 25. Determined to wipe out gambling in Kwangtung, Mr. Wu Teh-chen, in his concurrent post as chairman of the Opium Suppression Commission, has launched a new drive which has already resulted in many arrests. Local headquarters of the Military Affairs Commission is under orders to take drastic steps to suppress the gambling evil, says an official bulletin released to-day, while the metropolitan and county police are acting under similar instructions.—Reuter.

RAIDS CARRIED OUT  
Canton, June 25. The Shamshen authorities are co-operating with the Canton Government to suppress gambling in the concessions. Police and gendarmes raided gambling houses and unlicensed opium dens yesterday, according to the Canton Gazette, and a raid on a big gambling house in Sanpu village, near Canton, resulted in the arrest of 28 persons.—Reuter.

## TAKES ANOTHER PUNCH AT BIG FINANCIERS



Franklin D. Roosevelt

No-one will suggest that he is a popular President—among the "big money" men and the men who are trying in the face of unceasing labour troubles, to carry on the nation's industries. But his tax evasion investigation is to spare no-one: not even the family of his son's wife-to-be; and that fact will probably add to his popularity among another class of citizen.

## Tax Evasion Inquiries Spare None

Family Of Bride  
Of President's  
Son Involved

No Question Of  
Illegal Acts

Washington, June 24. The names of Mr. Pierre Du Pont and several other relatives of Miss Ethel Du Pont, who is marrying President F. D. Roosevelt's son, Franklin, next week, are included in a list presented to the Congressional Committee which is investigating income tax evasions.

Other prominent persons mentioned include Mr. Andrew Mellon, oil magnate; Mr. Thomas Lamont, steel and armament industrialist; Mr. Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., Mr. John J. Raskob, and Mr. Roy Howard, all of them notable financial figures.

All of these, too, allegedly formed a personal holding company in order to take advantage of tax reductions which are not permitted on individual returns.

The Internal Revenue Commissioner, however, does not claim that any of the activities of these men has been illegal.—Reuter.

## JOE LOUIS NOW MUCH IN DEMAND

Offer Of Fights  
In England

May Meet Doyle  
Or Len Harvey

Chicago, June 24. Joe Louis, who is unquestionably the American rooster where leather-pushers are concerned, is in great demand for a fight with the black world's champion will draw crowds, it is felt, no matter who his opponent may be.

Mike Jacobs, who is managing Louis' business affairs, has received a cable from Arthur Elvin of Wembley Stadium offering Louis a title fight in London against either Len Harvey or Jack Doyle.

Jack Doyle had the same distinction, but lost it to Petersen in 1935. Neither of these fighters is in the front rank in Europe, and a bout with either would be no better than an exhibition.

Nevertheless, the Wembley Stadium is offering a minimum of £18,000 to Louis, with an alternative of 42½ per cent of the gate receipts, the fight to be staged some time after the second week in August.

If Louis can be enticed into London for a fight in August it is possible that he will remain there to meet either Max Schmeling or Tommy Farr, the outstanding fighters on the Atlantic to-day, all depending upon when these two settle their dispute as to which is the better man.—Reuter.

## N.Z. PREMIER LEAVES

London, June 24. Mr. K. J. Savage, Prime Minister of New Zealand, left England to-day on his return home from attending the Coronation and the Imperial Conference.—British Wireless.

## BISHOPS DISCUSS DIVORCE

Cannot Honestly  
Oppose Reforms

But Hope For  
Amendments

London, June 24. The Bishops of Britain mustered in force this afternoon at the House of Lords when the Marriage Bill came up for second reading. The Archbishop of Canterbury said he could not honestly vote against the second reading, though he could not vote in its favour because some of the principal proposals of the Bill were inconsistent with the Church's attitude towards divorce, and certainly remarriage after divorce.

No-one seriously suggested that the law of the state permitting divorce should be repealed. The existing law had given rise to notorious abuses, notably with respect to so-called "hotel bill cases," in affording proof of adultery. This grave sin was not a result of passion in such cases, but a miserable episode in mutual arrangement, amply assisted by solicitors for the parties.

He hoped, said the Archbishop, that the Bill would be amended in some respects in committee.—Reuter.

ARCHBISHOP'S VIEW  
London, June 24. The Marriage Bill, amending the law on divorce, reached the House of Lords to-day, and the Archbishop of Canterbury intervened in the second reading debate to state his position.

The existing law in the matter of divorce, said the Archbishop, had proved to be unsatisfactory in its operation and had given rise to grave abuses, detrimental not only to marriage itself but to public morality. The Bill contained some valuable remedies against this, and, for those reasons, although he hoped it might be remodelled in certain respects in the committee stage, he thought it was entitled to careful consideration, and he could not honestly vote against its second reading.

On the other hand, as a representative officer of the Church, in his judgment, divorce, and certainly remarriage after divorce, was inconsistent with the principles laid down by Christ and accepted in its own laws and formalities by the Church. Therefore, he could not take the responsibility of promoting legislation which, in some of its principal proposals, was inconsistent with those principles and that standard.—British Wireless.

## Washington Returning Coconut Tax

"Gift" Of Millions  
For P. I. Government

Washington, June 24. The State Department has announced after months of indecision and delay that it is now arranging to transfer to the Philippine Government the net proceeds of processing taxes levied on Philippine coconut oil, up to July 1, 1937. The taxes amount to about U.S. \$50,000,000 and having been found to belong not to Washington but to Manila, must be returned.

The Treasury action has been taken at the request of the Philippine President, Senor Manuel Quezon.

The money, he says, will be used to readjust the Islands' economic position, and to purchase large estates for resale to tenant farmers. The money does not go back to the taxpayers themselves, but to the Government.—Reuter.

## Income Tax In Canton

Foreigners Will Be  
Liable

Foreigners and foreign firms not protected by extra-territoriality will have to pay income tax, and eventually all foreign interests in Canton will be liable to pay this tax, says the Canton Daily Sun.

This means that German firms, Russian eating houses and bars will first pay the tax, as they are amenable to the Chinese courts and are also subject to Chinese taxation.

Negotiations are still going on in Nanking between Foreign Minister, Dr. Wang Chung-hui, and the foreign representatives with regard to the payment of income tax. An announcement was due at the end of last week.

A complete schedule of the tax in English has been prepared by Ministry of Finance for the benefit of foreign taxpayers.

## BARRED FROM SECOND TERM

Washington, June 24. Senor Manuel Quezon of the Philippine Islands to-day stated that he opposed any amendment of the constitution just to allow him to take a second term in office.—Reuter.

# ALHAMBRA

NATHAN RD. KOWLOON. DRIVE AT 2.30-3.30-7.25 & 9.30 TEL. 56688

FINAL SHOWINGS TO-DAY  
THRILL TO THE MOST BAFFLING CLUE HUNT  
IN A TERROR-STRICKEN HOSPITAL!



TO - MORROW The Screen's Most Stupendous Presentation!  
R.K.O. Radio Picture "MICHAEL STROGOFF"  
with ANTON WALBROOK - Elizabeth Allan

# ORIENTAL

TAKE ANY TRAIN OR HAPPY VALLEY BUS  
DAILY 2.30-5.15-7.20 & 9.30 FLEMING ROAD HONGKONG TEL. 52473

2 DAYS TO-DAY TO-MORROW  
AN ALL STAR COMEDY CAST  
IN THE SEASON'S FUNNIEST LAUGH HIT!



SUNDAY - MONDAY - TUESDAY  
THE WORLD'S GREATEST LOVE STORY  
DEATHLESS IN ITS "ROMEO & JULIET" SUBLINE  
IN ITS PASSION!  
Norma Shearer, Leslie Howard, John Barrymore, 100 others.

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